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Andover's Dee-Dee Palmer remembered as energetic and supportive friend

By ALISON ALOISIO

"I have my own drawer at her house. We were sisters." That's how close Amy Farrington of Andover felt to her best friend, Dee-Dee Palmer. They met in fourth grade at the Andover Elementary School, at a book fair. Amy described herself at the time as a shy, academic type. "I was drooling over a book," she said, when Dee-Dee started a conversation with her. More than able to make up for Amy's shyness, Dee-Dee quickly made her a friend. The friendship continued through middle school and high school, into this, their junior year. It was cut short on Saturday when Dee-Dee died in a car accident in Canaan. Dee-Dee was driving behind a Telstar bus bound for a Future Business Leaders of America workshop in Newport. On the bus was Amy, as well as three other close friends of Dee Dee.

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Newry selectmen given overview of the options for ambulance service

By ALISON ALOISIO

The directors of three area ambulance services, as well as the emergency management director for Oxford County all responded to Monday evening's meeting of the Newry selectmen.

The directors of Med-Care, PACE and Bethel Rescue were there to discuss the town's future options for ambulance service.

Med-Care currently provides coverage, but its agreement with the 11 member towns is up for renewal next year.

In addition, Med-Care is pro-

posing to build a \$2 million facility to replace the current station, which is too small. But that proposal prompted some towns to question the cost and the term of the financing for the new building.

At their last meeting, Newry selectmen raised the question of whether they should look at other options for service before committing to the project and another interlocal agreement.

On Monday Dean Milligan, director of Med-Care, gave a brief overview of the differ-

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Voters here tightfisted

By MICHAEL DANIELS

Area voters agreed with their fellows statewide when it came to two referenda items on the Election Day 2007 ballot, but they were a bit more tightfisted when it came to spending money.

Voters here and statewide just said "no" to the two referenda items: refusing to approve another Indian "racino" for the state, and refusing a proposal that would have

extended term limits for legislators.

The racino proposal was defeated statewide by a margin of 52-48 percent, but the spread here (where an Indian-operated casino had been proposed and strenuously fought in the mid-1980s) was closer to 55-45 percent (full local voting results, Page 2).

The term-limits proposal

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Pre-season appetizer suits to a T



Gould sophomore Matt Parejda of Bethel tackles the T2 Trail at Sunday River during last week's pre-season taste of things to come. Sunday River's projected opening date is tomorrow, Friday, Nov. 9. Opening-day updates are available at www.sundayriver.com or by calling the snow-phone at 824-5200.

(Photo: D. MacKnight)

All quiet on the Greenstock waterfront

By MICHAEL DANIELS

Heavy fall rains have swelled the waters of the three ponds held back by the Alder River dam in Locke Mills, but the past summer's angry roiling over just how high those waters should be kept appears to have subsided.

And a committee formed in response to the past season's acrimony appears well on its way toward developing a water-level management plan that might satisfy, if not universally delight, most waterfront stakeholders.

The past summer's events were precipitated by winter run-off and late spring rains, which raised the water levels to the point that some property owners protested.

High winter waters led to

shorefront ice damage, they complained, and come spring parts of their land remained under water.

ing the water level behind the dam by a foot.

This pleased those who thought the water had been

'They've been very reasonable. The approach they're taking is wonderful.'

MARIE BARTLETT

On the recently formed Water Level Policy Committee

They took their complaints to Greenwood selectmen (who are responsible for managing the dam), but the selectmen's well-intended response only made the overall situation worse.

The selectmen had the three levels of four-inch batten boards at the top of the dam removed, effectively lower-

too high, but infuriated many more shorefront property owners, who now complained their shorelines were turning into mudflats.

In late July about 100 year-round residents and summer visitors turned out at a public hearing the selectmen had called to hash out the matter. The meeting, often heated,

lasted two and a half hours, and seemed to satisfy no one.

Later that month about 30 people turned out again at a special Town Meeting to again protest the low-water levels.

Loretta Mikols, chairman of the town selectmen, urged calm.

The town planned to form a committee to study the matter, she said, and to come up with a well-thought-out plan for managing the water level.

In response to complaints that the selectmen were moving too slowly to resolve the situation, Mikols argued that undue haste would only create more serious problems.

"We are moving to the place

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"LITTLE DOG, BIG HERO,"

said Woodstock Fire Chief Geff Inman. Robert Springer's dog woke him up Friday evening as a fire spread through his home on Route 26 in Woodstock, enabling Springer, the dog and a cat to escape safely, Inman said. Springer was asleep at about 8:30 p.m. when the dog began licking his face. The home was destroyed, but firefighters were able to save the garage. Fire Departments from Greenwood, Bethel, West Paris and Paris also responded, as well as Tri-Town and Med-Care ambulances and Oxford fire police, said Inman. Other family members arrived at the home later in the evening. The family has been staying at the nearby Molycock Motel. The Red Cross has been assisting them, and local residents have been donating clothing and other items. The home was insured.

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Letters

TELSTAR CRAFT FAIR

To the Editor:
The Friends of Telstar is pleased to announce the return of the annual Telstar Craft Fair on Saturday, Dec. 1, from 10 a.m. to 3 p.m. The Craft Fair will be held at Telstar Middle/High School gymnasium. This year we are again excited to hold the Craft Fair in conjunction with the Bethel Area Chamber of Commerce's popular Taste of Bethel and Theme Wreath Auction events, also at Telstar on Dec. 1.

The Craft Fair will feature the creations of talented crafters who we look forward to seeing each year, as well as new vendors and student groups. This year we will also feature crafts created by Telstar Middle School students. Returning will be balloons and face-painting for the kids, a lunch and bake sale, and the vast Raffle Table with a large variety of items and gift certificates donated by our crafters, community businesses, and Telstar families.

The Fair continues to be planned and conducted by Telstar volunteers, staff, and students. The proceeds from table rentals, food sales, and raffles will benefit students with activities, special events, and scholarships.

There is still space available, and we invite all crafters to join in the fun, as there will be many people out and about enjoying holiday events in Bethel on Dec. 1. Contact Michelle at 824-4430, e-mail mpowell@megalink.net, or call Telstar Middle School at 824-2136 for more information.

Thank you for supporting our students, and we hope to see you all at Telstar on Dec. 1!

Pat Nasta
Friends of Telstar Craft Fair Committee

LEGION RIDER ENLISTMENT

To the Editor:
November is Enlistment Month for the Legion and Legion Riders. If your post and its members want more information on the Legion Riders, please feel free to call me, Assistant Director Edward Ellis, at 364-9072.

I can give you ideas to set up a group of motorcycle riders for your Legion. Sons of veterans and daughters of veterans are welcome to join both. Or call and I'd be glad to come and talk to you and then you can decide.

Thank you for your time and interest.

Edward J. Ellis
Assistant Director, Legion Riders

W.P. SHOWCASE AND CRAFT FAIR

To the Editor:
West Paris is seeking crafters, nonprofit and for-profit organizations, and businesses to participate in its third community Showcase and Craft Fair. The event will kick off Christmas festivities with Santa and the Mrs. visiting the Agnes Gray Gymnasium where it will be held. There will be food for sale there, too. Starting time is 12 p.m. and promptly at 5 p.m. a parade led by the jolly old man himself will proceed to Derby Hill for caroling and the lighting of the town tree. Last year's program was well received, and we are looking forward to an equally successful event this year.

To schedule display space or for more information, please contact Lisa at 674-2127. Space is available for \$5 if you supply your own table, \$10 if a table is rented. Proceeds will be used for a community project. (Last year we bought American Flags to line Kingsbury Street.)

Sylvia McCann
West Paris

THANKS, DAVE AND DICK

To the Editor:
Thank you from Sudbury Village residents to two very generous and thoughtful men for their fresh vegetables and snappy apples; David Freiday and Dick Littlefield.

We all appreciate their thoughtfulness and kindness. The bags of fresh produce and baskets of apples were greatly appreciated. We truly appreciate you both!

Lynn Mason-Courtney
Bethel

A CELEBRATION OF SERVICE

To the Editor:
The Mahoosuc Arts Council invites members of the community to celebrate Vicki Rackliffe's twenty-one years of service as co-founder and executive director of The Mahoosuc Arts Council.

The celebration will take place on Saturday, Nov. 10, from 6 to 8 p.m. at The Lewin Center (yellow NTL house) on Broad Street.

Please RSVP me at 824-3575 or at Amy.Lehman@mahoosuc-arts.org.

Amy Lehman
Executive Director, Mahoosuc Arts Council

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THANK A VETERAN

To the Editor:
"Nothing in our lives will ever be as important as this," is what Lt. Col. Henry Mucci said prior to leading a mission to rescue over 500 American prisoners of war held by the Japanese. While Mucci's mission was certainly important as he said, America is blessed because millions of men and women realize that nothing in their lives is as important as defending this nation.

For many veterans, it was important enough to endure long separations from their families, miss the births of their children, freeze in sub-zero temperatures, bake in wild jungles, lose limbs, and, far too often, lose their lives.

Sadly, their deeds are frequently unappreciated.

In an essay early this year, Army Sergeant Eddie Jeffers wrote, "Even thousands of miles away, in Ramadi, Iraq, the cries and screams and complaints of the ungrateful reach me. In a way, I will be thrust back into society from a life and mentality that doesn't fit your average man. And then, I will be alone. And then, I will walk down the streets of America, and see the yellow ribbon stickers on the cars of the same people who compare our president to Hitler."

Historians have said that Dwight Eisenhower was prouder of being a soldier than he was of being the president. This pride is on display on every obituary page in the country, where military service, regardless of how many decades have passed and subsequent achievements reached, is mentioned with the death notice of nearly every deceased veteran.

Twenty-three percent of America's homeless population is veterans, 89 percent were honorably discharged and 47 percent served during the Vietnam War. Too often today's tattered citizen of the street was yesterday's toast-of-town in a crisp uniform with rows of shining medals. This is hardly the "thanks of a grateful nation."

And now, the American GI consistently tops public opinion polls and surveys as the most respected person in America. Fewer than 10 percent of Americans can claim the title "veteran."

In 1789 George Washington said, "The willingness with which our young people are likely to serve in any war, no matter how justified, shall be directly proportional as to how they perceive the veterans of earlier wars were treated and appreciated by their country."

This is not a Memorial Day, this is Veteran's Day! Thank a veteran, thank them for their service!

Jerry Greenwell
For the American Legion

Voting

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was easily defeated both here and across the state.

The three spending proposals on the ballot were all passed; but two, a bond for research and economic development, and another for college campus improvements, passed by narrow margins statewide and were rejected outright by voters here.

The third spending proposal, which authorized \$35.5 million in additional funding for the Land for Maine's Future Program, had far easier sailing, passing statewide by a margin of more than two to one.

But here again, local voters showed their reluctance to spend money. They too approved the bond, but by a somewhat smaller margin of 63-37 percent.

Local voting results, Nov. 6, 2007

	Question 1 Indian Racino	Question 2 Jobs & Economic Development Bond	Question 3 Schools & Cultural Renovations Bond	Question 4 Land for Maine's Future Bond	Question 5 Extend Term Limits
Albany	30(Y)-74(N)	48-56	53-51	72-32	36-68
Andover	82-151	92-141	95-137	139-95	64-168
Bethel/Mason	260-355	328-283	346-270	417-203	191-421
Gilead	21-38	23-36	24-35	34-25	16-43
Greenwood	76-97	74-95	72-96	115-56	50-122
Hanover	38-38	35-41	31-44	38-37	25-49
Newry	44-48	50-44	57-37	68-26	23-71
Upton	6-19	8-17	8-17	11-14	5-20
Waterford	189-188	176-198	182-193	241-137	119-260
West Paris	157-159	131-182	130-182	190-124	85-229
W'stock/Milton	132-147	109-166	118-158	160-113	81-195
Total Y/N	1,035-131	1,074-1,259	1,116-1,220	1485-862	695-1646

Water

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where the impact of a bad decision is entirely too great," Mikols said, "and if that means it takes a little more time to get the right answer, rather than rush to judgment and have a catastrophe happen, then we're guilty."

Committee drafts plan
The committee formed to address the water level issue (the Water Level Policy Committee) began meeting in September, and late last month completed a draft plan for management of the water during the fall and winter.

There are 13 members on the committee and the plan was approved unanimously by the 11 members present at the most recent meeting.

The plan calls for drawing down the ponds beginning on or about Nov. 1 of each year, by removing all three levels of batten boards at the dam.

A plan for what will happen in the spring and summer has yet to be developed, and may prove more difficult to find such broad consensus on.

But by next spring the committee hopes to have a year-round plan ready to present to town residents.

A hearing on the plan will also be held during the summer, when more seasonal residents can attend, Town Manager Kim Sparks said.

Critic 'delighted'
Long-time North Pond resident Marie Bartlett had been among the most vocal critics of the manner in which the town has handled the water-level situation.

But Bartlett said Wednesday she was "absolutely delighted," with the progress the new committee has made.

They've been very reasonable," Bartlett said. "The approach they're taking is wonderful."

The local members of the committee, and the particular area of interest and/or expertise of each, are:

Jim Chandler, chairman, biologist, aquatic plants and animals.

Pete Seaman, Community Lakes Association/engineer.

Gary Fuller, CLA/water quality.

Blaine Mills, historical.

Glen Kimball, business community.

And Kim Sparks, and the town's three selectmen: Mikols, Wayne Hakala and Fred Henderson.

There are also four on-call members:

Dana Murch, dam supervisor, Maine Department of Environmental Protection.

Tony Fletcher, dam inspector/emergency management, MDEP/MEMA.

Francis Brautigam, regional fisheries biologist, MDIF&W.

Jim Sysko, dam engineer, Small Hydro East (Sysko was the engineer for the dam overhaul completed in 2004).

The Water Level Committee is tentatively scheduled to meet again on Nov. 19, Sparks said.



WATER OVER THE DAM? Early discussions by Greenwood's recently formed Water Level Policy Committee appear to have quieted the tempest that swirled this summer regarding the town's handling of the water level in South, North and Round ponds. Here some of the four-inch batten boards that were removed in order to facilitate this winter's water-level drawdown (in itself a relatively uncontroversial practice) can be seen stacked under the far side of the footbridge over the dam.
(Photo: M. Daniels)

Our Back Pages

Compiled by Danna Brown Nickerson

10 years ago: Bethel police officers Mike Monzo and Darren Tripp patrolled the village by bike on Halloween night.

Office space in the Cole Block, formerly occupied by the W.J. Wheeler Insurance Agency was being remodeled for use as Bethel's Police Station.

The Apple Hill Chamber Players performed at Gould Academy as part of Gould's Performing Arts Series.

Births: Kazden Alan Yates, Adam James Kane, Lexie-Ann Mikayla Hart, Rebecca Lynn Howard.

Deaths: Arlene F. Myshrrall, Robert C. Silver, Helene "Tena" Chase.

20 years ago: More than 100 business, political, and professional leaders from the western mountains region of Maine met to form the Western Mountains Alliance.

West Paris assessors established the tax rate at \$15.60 per \$1,000, down from \$24, the previous year.

Chris Manjourides opened Bryant Pond Auto Body on the Felt Road in Woodstock.

The new Whitecap chairlift was rapidly taking shape at Sunday River.

Births: Thomas Donald Bennett, Thaddeus John Bennett, Shaun Brian Standeven.

Deaths: Stanley E. Roberts, Curtis I. Winslow, Pasquale A. DiArenzo, Agnes B. Lowe, Carmella M. Dadmun, Edward W. Chase.

30 years ago: Over 250 fall athletes and their families attended Telstar High School's Awards Banquet and Assembly.

The Telstar girls won the State Class "C" field hockey championship, beating Central High of East Corinth 2-1.

Volunteers were being sought for the building and maintenance of a skating rink at Crescent Park School.

Births: Mary Jean Learned, Carrie Ann Cole.

Death: Mrs. Etta G. Perkins.

40 years ago: Oxford County Sheriff W. Stanley Haskell was warning area residents to keep their doors locked and their eyes open after a series of daylight house break-ins.

A fire of undetermined origin gutted part of the gift shop and restaurant building at the Rumford Wild Animal Farm.

Friends and relatives of Mr. and Mrs. Rodney Jordan honored them with a surprise housewarming at their home on the Flat Road, West Bethel.

Births: Michael Marcel LePage, Joleen May Stinchfield.

Death: Ralph E. Verrill.

50 years ago: Edward MacDonald was wounded in the leg by a bullet from an unknown hunter's rifle while hunting at North Newry.

Kenneth Small, Grand Master of the I.O.O.F. of Maine, visited the Mount Abram Lodge at Bethel.

Sunday River correspondent, Mrs. R.M. Fleet reported that 2.69 inches of rain fell over the weekend, greatly helping area wells.

Birth: Donald Keith Lord, Jr.

60 years ago: Richard Davis started construction of a sawmill in the Peterkin field near Alder River Bridge.

Deaths: Mrs. Lydia Shedd, Albert N. Felt, Wallace Edgar Coolidge.

70 years ago: There were heavy shipments of pulpwood and lumber from the Bethel station. A 350-ton shipment of old steel and iron was being loaded and on the siding for unloading were three carloads of coal for Ernest Bisbee.

Deaths: Llewellyn W. Ramsell, Harry M. Poor, William L. Johnson, Fred M. Andrews.

80 years ago: Judge A.E. Herrick was injured when thrown from a wagon while going to visit his woodlot.

Death: Ellen M. Burbank.

100 years ago: Heavy rains flooded Bethel intervals.

A.E. Herrick was re-elected as president of the Gould Academy Board of Trustees.

The Rev. Charles Gleason resigned as minister of the Congregational Church.

Death: Hastings Barker.

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Briefly

RPC committee named

REGION—Members of the Regional Planning Committee for school consolidation have been named for SAD44 towns. The members will help draw up a merger plan with neighboring SADs 43, 21 and Union 37, to be voted on by residents next year. Each town may name a school director, selectman and community member to the committee. The local committee members are: Andover—Sid Pew (appointed by Selectmen as Municipal Rep) Keith Farrington and Kelly Scott; Bethel—Dennis Doyon, Lynn Arizzi (community member spot still open); Greenwood—Fred Henderson, Dick Melville and Ann Holt; Newry—Jim Largess, Bonnie Largess and Virgil Conkright; Woodstock—Ron Deegan, Marcel Polak (community member spot still open). The first meeting of the RPC was scheduled for last night (Wednesday) at Mountain Valley High School in Rumford.

Veterans Day event time later

GREENWOOD—The annual Veterans Day observance at the Locke Mills Legion Hall will take place at 1 p.m. on Sunday, Nov. 11. The event was scheduled an hour later than it traditionally begins because the holiday is on a Sunday.

Thanksgiving Dinner date

BETHEL—The annual Senior Citizen Thanksgiving Dinner will take place Sunday, Nov. 18 at noon in the Telstar High School cafeteria. The event is sponsored by the National Honor Society. Doors will open at 11:45 a.m.

Line worker killed on Route 2

SHELBURNE, N.H.—A line worker from Maine was electrocuted while working on communications lines off Route 2 in Shelburne last Thursday. Russell Stephens, president of Nextgen Telecom Services Group Inc., confirmed that an employee was killed when a live power line came loose and fell on the boom of the worker's truck, electrifying the vehicle and the bucket where the man was working. Shelburne police identified the victim as James J. French of LaGrange or Corinth. He was the father of two young children. French had more than a decade of experience and had worked for Nextgen for more than a year. Another worker on the ground was not hurt. The workers were installing a fiber optic network for Time Warner Cable. A spokesman for Public Service Company of New Hampshire said crews cut power to the line and helped in the rescue and recovery effort. He said the incident temporarily knocked out power for about 1,000 customers.

Garbage truck found in N.H.

MEXICO—A garbage truck stolen from Archie's Inc. was found Friday in New Durham, N.H. The truck was believed to have been taken in late September. It was found in New Durham after an anonymous caller reported it on a dirt road near Lake Winnepesaukee. The license on the 1999 vehicle was traced to the Mexico truck. There are two suspects in the theft, which is still under investigation.

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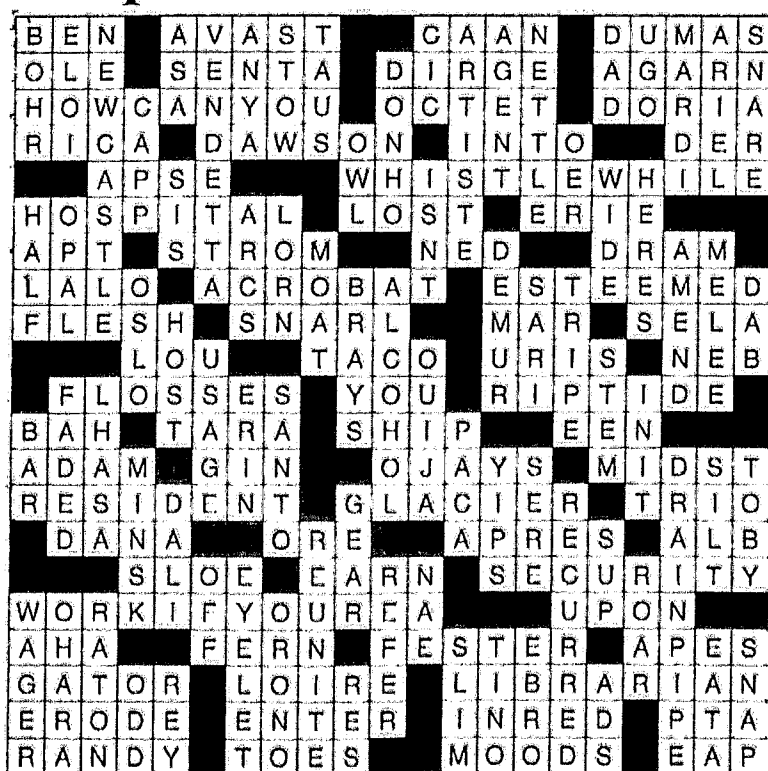
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ences among the three services.

Med-Care, he said, is a quasi-municipal organization owned by the member towns. The service keeps paramedics (the highest trained responders) available as needed and assigns them to calls requiring that level of response, he said.

PACE, a private service operated by Stephens Memorial Hospital, staffs each of its ambulances with a paramedic.

Bethel Rescue generally provides a paramedic during the daytime, but is otherwise staffed by volunteer emergency medical technicians.

All the services deliver good care, he said, but use different formats.

Bob Hand, PACE director, talked with the selectmen at their last meeting about the possibility of his agency providing coverage.

"The point was to look at everyone so you know what's out there," he said Monday.

But Hand said because SMH is not sure providing coverage in Newry is financially feasible, the hospital would like to see the town first put out a request for proposals.

Cheryl Bennett, director of Bethel Rescue, said her service was willing to talk about the possibility of providing coverage.

But, added Scott Cole, Bethel's town manager, "We're not here to sell anything. We're the closest unit. There's reason for us to be here whether Bethel becomes a first responder or not."

Support for Med-Care

Most of Monday's discussion centered on Med-Care's services.

Kevin Scott of Andover attended the meeting, and asked whether a satellite station in the region was feasible.

Milligan said the Med-Care board had studied the option, but with the bulk of the population served located elsewhere, a full-time ambulance "would be called out of the area constantly."

Ken Dixon, fire chief in Andover and vice president of the Med-Care board, supported the current arrangement.

He said the towns "would be hard-pressed to offer services individually. The 11 towns have been well-served. It spreads the burden around."

An asset to EMA

Also attending the meeting was Scott Parker, emergency management director for Oxford County.

Parker said a new facility for Med-Care would make the northern portion of the county stronger in its ability to provide coverage.

Parker also noted Med-Care's contributions to the county's EMA efforts, such as maintaining a county incident-management assistance vehicle and a mass-casualty trailer.

But he emphasized that while Med-Care's resources are an asset to the county, he is not advocating the member towns contribute extra tax funds to Med-Care in order to benefit the county.

Milligan also described a

new program Med-Care is establishing in cooperation with Sunday River Ski Resort.

Resort security personnel will be trained as licensed first responders, he said, so they can respond to calls off-mountain and provide basic life support until Med-Care arrives.

Such training will also be offered to community members, he said.

Shorter payoff on loan

Milligan also provided some clarification to the board regarding the building project.

He said that the original 40-year loan, to be obtained through the U.S. Department of Agriculture, has been reduced to 30 years in response to concerns about its length.

In addition, he said, there is no penalty for early payment, and Med-Care would work hard to pay off the loan in approximately 20 years.

"We have no interest in paying for 30 years," he said.

Selectman Jim Largess said he favored putting out requests for proposals.

"[The ambulance services] are the experts," he said.

But it was decided to hold off on any decision until at least the next regular meeting. Selectman Wendy Hanscom was not in attendance.

On Dec. 4, Med-Care will hold an informational meeting for officials of member towns on its history, interlocal agreements and the proposed project.

"I'm glad you're bringing everyone together," said selectman Steve Wight.

Dee-Dee

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The bus was also involved in the accident, and the other teens received minor injuries.

But on Monday, they said, it was Dee-Dee's legacy and their good memories that are important.

A communicator

"I first met her on a field trip with all three elementary schools," said Mat Lauro of Woodstock. "She was so bright and cheerful. I really had no choice but to become friends with her."

"She'd talk," said Thomas Henley of Andover, to the laughter of the others. "If you were shy, she'd carry the conversation."

Thomas, a senior, got to know Dee-Dee in middle school, and she was like a little sister to him.

But, said Thomas, "she didn't like the stereotype of a whiny, bratty little sister. So I had to consider her my little brother. She'd sign notes to me 'Lil Bro.'"

Dee-Dee was the historian for the FBPA — a fitting responsibility, since she remembered everything, FBPA-related or not.

Liz Forkus of Woodstock recalled an FBPA conference the group attended in Portland last year.

"We decided we wanted food. So we went to McDonald's and walked through the drive-through in our pajamas and ordered ice cream," she said.

Dee-Dee struck up a conversation with the clerk. Months later, said Liz, "She remembered the name of the guy at the window."

A doer

But as much as Dee-Dee liked to communicate with

people, her friends said, she was much more about doing things.

"Action was important," said Amy. "You had to talk while you were doing something."



DEE-DEE PALMER

"Something" for Dee-Dee included volunteering on the Prom Committee, serving on the Freshman Awareness Committee at Telstar (FACT), competing in track and field, playing the flute in the band, playing goalie in J.V. field hockey and, of course, being in the Drama Club.

"No matter what it was, she had to participate," said Liz.

Dee-Dee also liked to draw and take pictures. She'd put photos on her computer and never delete any of them.

"She was a meticulous labeler," said Liz.

Thomas recalled Dee-Dee's labeling progressions: "Me and Travis" (her boyfriend of three years), "Me and Travis 1," "Me and Travis 2." "Me and Travis dropped."

Her meticulous nature and need for action landed her another role among the friends.

"She was always the planner," said Amy. "She took such great joy in it."

Sometimes her planning and directing would wear a little thin. After one such episode, "She tried not to plan for two days," said Liz. "She said, 'You guys do it,'" said Amy.

Nothing got done. Dee-Dee was restored to power.

A confidant

While Dee-Dee served as events director and cheerleader, her friends said, she was also there for them when things weren't going well.

"She'd take on everyone's troubles," said Amy. "She knew exactly how to make you feel better."

"If you were having a bad day, there was no one better to talk to," said Thomas. "She really just cared about everyone."

Not surprisingly, he said, Dee-Dee was considering a career as a nurse or physician's assistant.

Putting all the facets of Dee-Dee's personality together, the friends think they know what she would want people to do now that she's gone.

"She would want everyone to comfort each other and get back to normal. Start making plans and help one another," said Amy. "She would want us to focus on her family."

That includes both her immediate family, and the one at Telstar.

"It's been a rough time for Telstar," said Amy.

She's not just referring to Dee-Dee's death. Two other members of the junior class recently lost parents, Amy said, and one of them lost a home in a fire last Friday.

In Dee-Dee's memory, said Liz, "she would want us to help the other kids who are still here."

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The Way I See It
by Sharon Bouchard
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I know I'm going to date myself when I say this, but boy, the kids these days! They speak a totally different language.

Oh, I know, every generation has had their "in" words. "Groovy" and "Far Out" were pretty "in" when I was a teenager and I do remember "gnarly" was a frequent explanation when my kids were younger not to mention the "Aging P's" and "Rents" when referring to us parents.

That part of the kids' language I can understand. Even us aging relics will use some of the "in" words from time to time. They somehow seem to work their way into our daily language. I can dig it.

The language I'm talking about is textspeak. The acronyms that are used in the text messaging and chat rooms that every kid in the country seems to be well versed in.

The other day my daughter-in-law said something to my grandson about an experience she had when she was about his age. Tristan's response was TMI. I look at Wanda and she looked at me and we both looked at Tristan. "Too Much Information", he said rolling his eyes in disgust at our ignorance.

I realized at that moment that not only was I being left behind in the technological world, but I was also being left in the dust in the text world. In my humble opinion or in textspeak IMHO, this is bound to lead to serious problems down the road.

I decided that if I had any hope of understanding my three grandsons I'd better do a little research. IIUC or if I understand correctly, textspeak is the primary way people, mostly young people, handle written communication over the Internet and cell phones. And, as I found through Tristan it is even part of their verbal communication.

...kids these days! They speak a totally different language.

It just so happens that there is a Text Messaging Dictionary online and once I took a look at it I understood why it is mostly young people that are doing the text messaging. No one over 40 could ever remember all those darn acronyms... there are thousands!

It's kind of like shorthand only with letter rather than symbols. KWIM... know what I mean? I didn't really understand shorthand and I sure don't get the texting bit.

ISTM... it seems to me that some things would be a heck of a lot easier to just type out or say, whatever the case may be. For example, BCNUL8R seems to me to be a darn complicated way of saying "Be seeing you later." Or "LTSGT2GTHR" for "Let's get together."

I know acronyms that get used as part of the lingo have been around for a long time. After all, in my younger

days we had MYOB, which is still used and the wonderful SWAK (sealed with a kiss), but now there are literally thousands. Who in the heck can remember them?

What bothers me above and beyond the fact that I don't have a clue, is that the kids now have a secret language. It wouldn't be quite so bad if they stuck with LOL for laughing out loud or KISS for keep it simple stupid, but they also have codes that grown-ups don't know about.

For example, if you happened to catch a glimpse of your kid's text message and saw POP you might assume that they were either saying they wanted a soda or they were going to have popcorn. However, you would be wrong because it means Parent on Premises and PAW would not mean something happened to the dog's foot, it means Parents are Watching.

If they feel the need to POP or PAW it probably means their text discussion was not something they want their parents to know about.

And what about their spelling? It's bound to have a serious effect sooner or later. I think it's going to be worse than those who are hukt awn fonix.

Maybe I should start a movement to stop the acronyms of text messages. I could call it AAAAA for American Association Against Acronym Abuse.

I guess I'm just getting to be an old fuddy duddy, but IMHO that's TWICIT.

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A Mother's reflections

From SANDY HALL

My earthbound angel who's description of herself are the only words that could fit. She told me she was proud that she was heart, body and soul filled with respect. She was filled with gratitude because of the journey we have shared. My little princess was the light of my life. And magic and enlightenment within my heart and mind. She was a huge piece of who I am for she lifted me up and filled my life with so much joy. The footsteps of our journey together are gone but I know she has her wings and I'll listen to the wind. They say a person's life can be measured by the love they leave behind. Dee you left such a long life's journey of love in your short time here. We love you!

Mom and Joe

Oncoming driver swerved after dropping handkerchief

By ALISON ALOISIO

Telstar High School junior Dorothy (Dee Dee) Palmer of Andover died Saturday in a car accident in Canaan.

Palmer, 16, was driving her car behind a Telstar school bus on Route 2 in Canaan when an oncoming van crossed the center line, according to state police.

The van sideswiped the bus, then struck Palmer's car head-on.

Palmer died at the scene. The van and bus overturned onto their sides.

The van's driver, Stephen Carter, 49, of Whitefield, and the six people on the bus were taken to a Skowhegan hospital with minor injuries, police said.

On the bus were driver Tommy Sweetser, 62, of Bethel, teacher Jennifer Bennett, 36, of Bethel and four students.

The bus passengers and Palmer were traveling to Nokomis High School in Newport for a Future Business Leaders of America conference.

Palmer was following in her own car because she and a student on the bus planned to travel to the University of Maine after the conference.

Carter told police he swerved into the oncoming lane after reaching for a dropped handkerchief.

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At 9:04 p.m. Officer Jack Taylor received a report of telephone harassment. A subject was warned.

Saturday, Nov. 3

At 12:04 p.m. Officer Mike Kelly responded to Paradise Road for a report of a family dispute. The officer met with the two parties and an agreement was reached to resolve the problem.

Thursday, Nov. 1

At 6:35 p.m. Officer Jack Taylor responded to the East Bethel Road for a report of shots fired from a pickup truck that had shined its headlights into a field. The truck had left on arrival.

At 9:17 p.m. Lt. S.R. White responded to Route 5 for a report of a possible domestic assault victim walking on the road. No one could be located.

Wednesday, Oct. 31

At 7:30 p.m. ACO Phil Taylor received a report that there was a dead German Shepherd-type dog at the intersection of the Parkway and Route 26. The on-duty BPD officer checked the location and found the animal was a dead coyote that had fallen out of a truck. The vehicle owner took care of it.

This report highlights points of interest from the Bethel Police Department log. It lists cases reported in the log of adults being arrested or issued a summons in the 10 days prior to the newspaper's publication, but does not include all reports of police activity, such as routine speeding tickets and other civil violations.

Tally of BPD Activity for October, 2007

Calls for service (assaults, domestic incidents, animal complaints, etc.): 114

Arrests: 16

Warnings: 20

Citations (speeding tickets and other moving violations): 37

Motor vehicle defect stops/warnings: 20

Vehicle crashes: 12

Juvenile citations: 1

Permits issued: 3

Tips from the Bethel Police Department

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Bethel

Mayville and Around Town

By Donald G. Bennett

Bethel's Telstar Video movie rental store on Bridge Street is winding down. Eighteen years ago Karen and Eric Wight took over the Casablanca Video rental business housed in what is now the Good Food Store. The event happened this way. Eric was Bethel's Police Chief and had been called to the store to settle an altercation between the owner and the operators of the store. While there Eric was asked to buy Casablanca Video.

Karen named the Wight's new enterprise, Telstar Video. She said that it was a name that came to us naturally. I had been a secretary at Telstar High School and Eric had spread sawdust for laying out the skin of the first "bubble" antenna dome at Telstar in Andover.

About six months later, the Wights bought Eric Paul's movie rental business called #1 Video, which occupied the Naimen Block annex that had been The Bethel Spa and before that Harold Chamberlain's store. They renamed #1 Video, #1 Telstar. A few months after acquiring #1 Telstar, the Wights bought the late Stan Fox's home from his widow. This building became a residential rental and the home for the first Telstar Video. "Joe" Roderick was their first tenant. (But, that is another story.)

Before cable TV, for many

Bethel movie fans, rented video movies were attractive pastimes due mainly to poor broadcast TV reception and limited movie programs.

In 1997, after the debate over a home for the post office was decided, the Wights combined both Telstar outlets into the store on Bridge Street (which had been renamed Mayville Road). Therefore, this year marks the tenth anniversary of Telstar Video's life after closing the Main Street store. Currently all of the movie stock (videos and DVDs) is being sold at super value prices — two movies for only \$2. As for me, the most memorable movies I can remember renting from Telstar Video were: "Gone With The Wind," the "Godfather" series and "Casablanca."

Karen says, "I have thoroughly enjoyed having the store. Thinking back we have employed so many kids and adults, so many family. Many kids had their first jobs in our stores. We wish to thank everybody (customers, tool) for their support over the years."

Water System Progress

Cross Excavation's crew has made steady progress laying water district pipe from the water main junction at Angevine Park west along the North Road to its new wells. Friday, the pipeline had passed Ernest and Alberta Angevine's home going westward. Also, water pipes from the wells located in the Douglass/Coleman pit have been buried for winter protection.

At Douglass pit number two drilling is going on for the new water supply. News so far is that the first new well can produce about 100 gallons a minute without being pushed. Between Angevine Park and

the Angevine's house, three new fire hydrants have been installed. These new hydrants should help lower homeowner insurance premiums now that their buildings will have more readily available water for fire fighting.

Highway Construction Obstacles

Work on widening and straightening Route 2 from Pleasant River for about two miles westward in Gilead has three work areas. What will be the repositioned Pleasant River intersection (Route 2 and Fleming Road) has been inactive lately. The middle section where all the blasting of ledge has been taking place is the area where traffic is held up most often. The third area, west of the blasting area, is about one-half mile of hillside that is being excavated to allow for the highway to be moved south slightly and straightened. Work along this area does not hold up traffic in a major way — excavator and dozer work in a cleared strip beside the highway is used.

Rest of the News

Winter season's defacto opening day was Monday, Oct. 29, when cold temperatures hung on. Man-made snow was blowing along the top of Barker Mountain.

Work on the renovations at Bethel Shop 'N Save has also moved along. Modernizing the store's refrigerated storage space is the main reason for the work at the receiving end of the building. Another new feature of this job is a covered delivery dock.

Crossroads Diner & Deli has added a covered porch entrance to the diner; it also connects to their side deck.

A small flock of turkey hens visited our bird feeding station on Thursday. Our regulars and the squirrels did not know what to make of the big birds.

Gas prices have managed to step over the three-dollar mark — Irving was \$3.099 on Monday. Heating oil at Brooks Bros reached the \$2.999 a gallon mark on Saturday with kerosene going to \$3.349 a gallon.

Beware November floods. November is the 80th anniversary of the 1927 flash flood that

knocked out a temporary Androscoggin River bridge early in the flood. For a number of days afterward crossing into Mayville required a ferry ride.

The storm that created the flood had followed a similar path (Vermont to Berlin, N.H., area) but was less concentrated than this year's July 11 storm, which hit Barker Mountain. However, the 1927 flood forced about a dozen families to flee, took out three temporary bridges, Pleasant River, the one at Mayville and one under construction at Sunday River. It also stopped train service from Gilead to Locke Mills — no mail.

If you have news about Bethel area events, family happenings, humor in Bethel, business, opening or closings and special visitors in general, please call me at 824-2094 or e-mail to Donald@thebetheljournal.com. info@donaldbe@roadrunner.com.

Upton



by Eleanor LeComte

We missed the Northeast over the weekend; Saturday and Sunday were cool but still very nice weather. Like Camelot it rained on Saturday night. However Monday morning the temperature was 20 degrees on East "B" Hill.

Not too many hunters, an occasional person in bright orange meanders by looking for the elusive stag.

Construction in town is going ahead full speed to get jobs completed before the snow flies.

The LaRochelle property has a new foundation. It looks great, raising the building to new heights. Next door to us, the Georgie Pratt house is also in the works for a face lifting. A new foundation, a new septic system and a major overhaul on the house, are a work in progress.

The new addition to the former Douglass-Dapolito homestead is moving fast with a wonderful ell being built. On the Grafton side of Upton on Rt. 26, there is also construction and repair jobs in motion. We are all excited about the

beautiful home the Knightlys are building. They will have a panoramic view of the lake and the mountains.

Sue Nelson, Liz Stanczyk and yours truly hit all the fairs on Saturday. We receive a warm welcome every year from the ladies at the West Bethel Church. Dried flower arrangement, fancy work, cookie walk and bake sale plus a lovely coffee clache are enjoyed in a very small space. The quilted pot holders are the best deal in town for stocking stuffers. A beautiful quilt is being raffled, and I plan to win it. (Yes I do!)

This is "Green Week" all over America. However it looks like "White Week" with a coating of frost in the back yard.

We met Sue and Dick Angevine stocking up at Wal-Mart. Dick has been "under the weather" for about a week with a hospital admission. He has improved and we want him to stay that way.

Evelyn and Jim Kinney were hit by the "Flu Bug." It hit early this year. You could hear them coughing clear across the lake. We "banned" Evelyn from the "Fair Trip" this year.

Ginny and Diane Williamson have arrived in Lake Wales, Fla. They stopped in South Carolina at Diane's daughter's house.

Paul Casey pulled the last boat out of the cove this weekend. It's time to store the boats and bring the snow machines out.

The back lawn is a haven for many birds. Sparrows, finches, gray and blue jays, woodpeckers, tons of juncos, a female red-wing blackbird and others including two female cardinals. Maggie, the golden retriever, is confined to quarters when the bread is tossed out for the jays. Bread, no matter how stale or moldy is a delicacy for Maggie.

Take your pick for the "Bird of the Week."

We are moving to winter quarters next week so the column may be late or absent.

Veteran's Day is next Sunday. Let us honor them and thank them for their devotion and sacrifice for our country.

We send congratulations to Jennifer Aldrich and Timothy Aguilar for their induction into the National Honor Society. We are very proud of you.

Our deepest sympathy from

the town of Upton to the parents of Dee-Dee Palmer of Andover who lost her life as a result of a motor vehicle accident on Nov. 3, 2007.

West Bethel



by Lorrie Hoeh

The Saturday storm left us with .65 inches of rain, the streams have come up a bit,

and shallow wells have been replenished. There is a new beaver dam in the culvert just at the beginning of the forest road. It seems that the beavers try this every year, and just about every year they build it a little too high, and humans have to pull it down to prevent road damage. Ah, well, that's life.

Our trip to the Chesapeake was great fun. Arriving in Lansdale, Pa., in a heavy downpour on Friday, the 26th, we waited until Saturday morning to head down to Oxford, Md., with our friends, Hank and Shirley Bowen. After a delightful lunch of crab cakes at the Robert Morris Inn, we boarded the "Knot on Call."

After loading our gear on board, we had a pleasant afternoon sail before "gunkholing" for the night in one of the many tributaries that surround the Bay. We woke on Sunday to a fair-weather day with very brisk winds. It was what you call a "spanking breeze," 20 to 25 knots, and it succeeded in doing some damage to the sails and rigging, so the sails went down, and we motored to our anchorage for that day and spent the afternoon reading, napping, and visiting.

Monday dawned absolutely perfect, but unfortunately we had to motor because of aforementioned damage. We did, however, enjoy seeing the oystermen tonging for oysters, and the crab fishermen netting crabs from their long lines. We reluctantly packed our gear and abandoned ship about 3 p.m. for the trip back to Lansdale. We did stop at Bayard's Inn on the way for a lovely supper of Crab Imperial, accompanied by their famous Bloody Marys. Then it was back to Maine on Tues-

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day, and Mike and I had a late supper of the small blue-fish that he had caught off the stern of Knot on Call.

Our next-door neighbor, Keith Giles, surprised us last month by getting married. He and Donna Gifford of Andover have been seeing each other for some time and decided to make their relationship permanent. They did the deed in Auburn on Saturday, Oct. 13, with the ceremony performed by a friend. Donna has a son, Evan, 15. Best wishes to the whole family!

The Rev. Mr. and Mrs. Bell rented a truck to take some of their things to their new home in Medina, N.Y., then returned in time for him to preach on Sunday in West Bethel. He will be there for the last time on Sunday, the 11th. The Rev. John Williams will return to his former pulpit here on Nov. 18. As they say in Rome, "Hail and Farewell!"

The Christmas Craft Fair of the West Bethel Church, complete with a cookie walk and various baked goods, took place on Saturday in spite of the stormy weather, and a good time was had by all, not to mention that some money was earned. Among other things, raffle tickets for an Ina Grover quilt were sold, drawing to be held at the Christmas Greens sale. Also on sale were dozens of Alice McInnis' hand-crafted quilted potholders.

The Union Church will hold its usual Thanksgiving fellowship supper on Nov. 10. As always, Nancy Grover will bring the turkey, with the remaining dishes potluck.

West Bethel resident Doris Brown is now living at Market Square in South Paris. She would probably welcome visits from her friends.

Sunday River Alpacas had its last cria of the year on Halloween, when Eureka gave birth to a baby boy. As soon as his name has been decided, we'll let you know. He is cute as a button, with white socks on his front legs and white markings on his face.

We've had turkeys in the garden and under the feeders several times this past week. They seem oblivious that Thanksgiving is coming.

Barbara Mahler, Jane Hosterman, Becky Kendall, Ruth Grover, and a number of other Bethelites attended a performance on Sunday of "Don't Dress for Dinner," put on by the Oxford Hills Music and Performing Arts Association. It was very entertaining and well received.

It's time to start planning the Thanksgiving menu and get in supplies. Aren't we lucky that we have so much to be thankful for! Be in touch and let me know your holiday plans. dhoeh@megalink.net; 836-3011.

Gilead



by
Lin Chapman

The birds have come back to the feeders.

There are already the usual suspects such as chickadees, juncos, sparrows, goldfinches, mourning doves, both red-breasted and white-breasted nuthatches, hairy and downy woodpeckers, and of course my favorites, Mr. and Mrs. Cardinal.

My brother, Steve McLain, received a picture by way of e-mail from Major Stephen McLain. The picture was taken in Kuwait before Major McLain left for Iraq, and he is dressed in full military gear.

There is a new shop opening in Bethel on Main Street. Village Sweets will entice you with all the delicious goodies from premium chocolate to specialty jellybeans. The Grand Opening is on Saturday, Nov. 17, and is just in time for the holidays. Be sure to stop by and check out to see if your favorite candy is there. The best part of this is that the owner is Jill Bujnowski who lives in Gilead. Congratulations on the new business.

Hugh's brother and wife, Don and Gloria Fraser, from Augusta were in Gorham, N.H., recently and stopped by to visit for a few minutes.

Halloween was quiet again this year. There were only five little ones that stopped by the house for Trick or Treat. Bethany Hooper came with her children, Jakob and Octavia, and a little later Alicia McLean came with her children, Morgan, Tanner and Brandon.

Hugh went to check out where the blasting on Route 2 is happening. Norm Buttrick stopped by, so he went with Hugh. They looked around but did not find anything too exciting. Hugh is trying to get pictures to show how things are progressing. These pictures will become part of the Gilead Historical Society's archives. Before he left, Don Bennett, who writes the Bethel column, appeared to check things out also.

Bill and Gale Tout stopped by this past weekend. They have recently returned from a trip out West. Our grandchildren, William, Annie and Sidney, were visiting and taking advantage of a break in the rain to play outside so it was a true dooryard call. On Nov. 6 our grandson, William, will turn 7 years old. Gale had not seen the kids for quite awhile, so she was amazed just how much they had grown.

Selectmen's Meeting

CONCORD POND ASSOCIATION DONATES TO WFD

Fire Chief Geff Inman recently accepted a donation for \$500 from the Concord Pond Campers Association for the purchase of an AED (automated external defibrillator). Pictured are, from left: Bill and Lauris Doll-off, Inman, and Roland Pelletier Sr. The AED has been ordered and will arrive shortly.



The monthly meeting for the Selectmen will be held on Nov. 14 at 7 p.m. at the Town Hall.

Comprehensive Plan Com.

There will be a meeting of the CPC on Nov. 15 at the Town Hall at 7 p.m.

Got any news? Call 836-2987 or e-mail chapmal@hotmail.com

Andover



by Melinda Averill

On Monday, Dec. 3, Andover Service Circle (ASC) will be hold

ing its 6th annual Senior Appreciation Dinner at the Andover Town Hall. As a gift to Andover's seniors (those who have reached 65 years of age) and the disabled along with each having a guest, the Circle will open the doors at 3:30 p.m. for a social hour followed by a 4:30 p.m. dinner with dessert. All those eligible who would like to attend are asked to please telephone Judy Michaud at 392-1221, so that ASC can plan a truly lovely bountiful party.

Sue Mills and Jen Merrill would like to thank all of the volunteers who braved the downpours and drizzle to alpine the Halloween Walk to be

so successful. Nothing was going to stop this hearty bunch of volunteers from putting on a terrific event and with no possible rain date, the show went on. Special thanks to those who worked to make the scenes, volunteering to haunt or be tour guides, for setting up and breaking down, and for offering use of tools or trailers and hay. It could not have happened without all of you! Thanks so much to Rick Merrill, Chris and Alice Lee, Kathy, Glen, Deegan (and his friends), and Nik Conrad, Patty Brown, Stephanie and Jeremy Sterling, Gloria and Tyler Morton, Darcy and Mark Newman, LeeAnn and Kelsey Virgin (and extended family), Greg Parr, Donna Morse, Lauren, Cindy and Bear Gammon (and crew), DD Palmer, Steven Jacques, Eileen and Esther Pew, Beanie and Doug Averill, Betty Beauchane, Roger Sabin, Wilma Bean, Carolyn and Dick Merrill, Kelly and Kevin Morton, Abby and Brian Mills, Jen and Joe Young, John Emery, Mike Worthley, Becky and David Smith, Matt Burnham, Karen Thurston, Wendy and Barry Martin, and Michele Gagnon. Almost \$500 was raised for the 5th-graders despite the rain, and we consider that to be a huge success with an estimated 150 people attending the event from

Andover, Dixfield, Rumford, Mexico, Bethel, Woodstock, and surrounding areas in between. Our sincere appreciation to everyone who came despite the rain and made it all worthwhile. We hope you enjoyed it because we all enjoyed having you.

Families in crisis task force Andover Food Pantry is now accepting names for Thanksgiving Day food baskets. If you or someone you know can use one, please contact Pam Pace at 392-2390 or stop by the Food Pantry on Tuesdays between 9 and 11 a.m. The Food Pantry is open every Tuesday.

Sympathy is extended to

the family of Dee-Dee Palmer, who died on Saturday, Nov. 3, as the result of an auto accident. She will be missed by many, many family and friends who knew and loved her. Dee-Dee is survived by her mother, Sandra Hall and her husband Joe of Andover; her father, Sherwood Palmer and his wife Renee of Norway; her companion, Travis Morton of Rumford; four sisters; three brothers; grandparents, Thomas and Nancy Conley of Rumford, Ivah Palmer of Stratton, Robert and Darlene Hall of Andover; and several aunts uncles and cousins. Funeral services will be held

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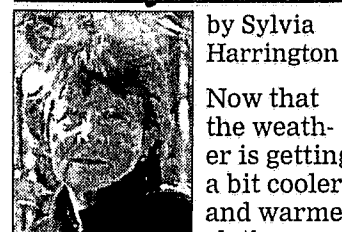
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12th, and again at Thanksgiving from Wednesday, the 21st at noon through the weekend.

Newry



by Sylvia Harrington

Now that the weather is getting a bit cooler and warmer clothes are necessary, please think of the Recycling Center as you sort through last year's woolen hats, mittens and scarves you no longer need. The center has a box where you can leave things which they plan to distribute to needy youngsters before cold weather sets in. If you don't see the box, please ask an attendant where it is.

On the 3rd I drove to Rumford to meet Johan, and she drove us to her daughter's and my niece's home, Rebecca Schwind, in Hallowell. After having coffee and rolls we headed out to start our fifth year of a pre-Christmas shop-a-rama. We started out at Renny's in Gardiner and finished in the rain around 6:30 that evening. In mid-afternoon we lunched at Ruby Tuesdays. After unpacking Rebecca's car we played Liverpool rummy while eating snacks that Johan had prepared and stayed up much too late.

On Sunday, we resumed shopping, had lunch at Friendly's in Augusta and shopped just a little more. We said our goodbyes in Augusta, as Rebecca drove back to Hallowell and we headed homeward. We got back to Rumford around 3:30. It was a great sunny day and we all enjoyed being together during this once-a-year overnighter.

On the 4th, Bea and Frank Lowell had company for the day — Mr. and Mrs. Brian Bennett and Ted Perry from Buckfield, Olive Record from Minot and Kay Saunders from Hebron. They brought lobsters and clams for lunch, which all enjoyed.

Bea is quite proud of her grandson, Erik Lowell, who is 11 years of age and tagged a doe on the 30th of October.

The Town Office will be closed on Veteran's Day, the

Greenwood City



by Wayne Hakala

Here we are again on a Sunday with a big game on. I either have to change my schedule or the NFL has to. I don't think I could even begin to win this one. At least it would be a good thought. And Brady was just picked off. #@%\$#@*^@#

But on a more serious note, we are coming up a very special day when we need to pay tribute to our veterans. Not just those that have passed on to parade grounds with a soft cushion underfoot, but to all that have served and to those who are proudly serving today.

We stood together to overcome many injustices in our long history, and at times I think we forget what America is all about. America is about rights and the freedom to disagree. Americans have the right to speak up and to disagree with a neighbor. And that freedom has been preserved by the veteran. I can sit here and write what is on my mind and what I want to because of Veterans. We can go to a sporting event and not have to pledge allegiance to the flag because of Veterans. But those that do not show respect have very little respect for themselves.

The next time you pledge allegiance to the flag, "Thank a Veteran." The next time you pray at church, "Thank a Veteran." The next time you disagree with Taxgusta, "Thank a Veteran." Thank a Veteran because they stood up and defended all our freedoms.

On to other things, as I could carry on all night and miss my coffee and ice cream. But Leah Deegan is home now and doing well. I heard that she is wanting to get back to bingo and all those good things. I'm

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Teresa's Hair Studio

Nancy Morgan recently joined Teresa's Hair Studio at 86 Church Street in Bryant Pond. A native of Bryant Pond, Nancy is a 2007 graduate of Mr. Bernard's School of Cosmetology. Anyone wishing to make an appointment with her may call 665-2500. Teresa's is open Monday through Thursday, 8:30 a.m. to 7 p.m.; Friday 8:30 a.m. to 5 p.m. and Saturday 8:30 a.m. to 2 p.m.



sure everyone is waiting for her return.

My buddy Bob called from Texas Friday afternoon and we talked for two hours. Or at least we laughed for two hours. I didn't get all my chores done, but they were waiting on Saturday. We talked about the time we went window shopping at Annabelle's House. And then the Saturday afternoon we visited Homburg and Bob ended up with a stiff neck from trying to look at all the sweet young ladies. And times we gave the flight crews the Artic Moon at Andoya AB, Norway. And those were the days.

I keep telling Bob that he has got to move here to get his VA claim straightened out. Texas is not a very good place in terms of VA treatment, or so Bob tells me. Course Texas does have a wealth of bull to spread around. And some people here think I spread it. Well I'm here to tell you that Texas needs people to help spread all that bull that is there. And that is no bull! But Bob is hav-

ing a time with the VA and it is a crying shame.

Well it may be hunting season, but all I've heard is a lot of traffic coming and going. I'm not sure if anyone is hunting or not. I bet that strange P/U went down the road a dozen times and then down to the gravel pit and back as many times. Bet they were complaining about the cost of gas too.

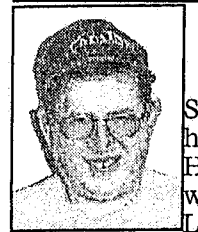
Marie Curtis told me that she filled her tag the first day and could sit back and relax now. But I know that she will be busy fixing up all kinds of good eating for the rest of the hunters on the hill.

Then from the dark side of Albany on Friday was the report that hunting was very slow.

They were more interested if there was sequels to the CD I sent with the Mayor. At last report, there were no sequels from Argentina yet. Stay tuned for the latest developments.

Keep smiling and have a wonderful Veterans Day!

Hanover



by Clem Worcester

Successful hunters from Hanover this week include Laurie Beau-

doin with a four-point buck and Andy Barlow with a six-point buck.

A well-attended dinner was served at the Rumford Grange in Rumford Center this past Sunday. Turkey, ham, vegetables and pies were on the menu. It was just like Thanksgiving.

A meeting took place at the Hanover Town House last Thursday evening to discuss the Mahoosuc Initiative. Local attendees were asked to discuss what was important for the future of Hanover and the area. Items mentioned and discussed included a need for snowmobile trails in Hanover, the possibility of an east/west highway, an improved business climate with better paying jobs, the success and needs of Gardner Roberts Memorial

Library, and preserving the beauty and tranquility of the area.

Local residents traveled to Strong last Sunday to attend the 50th wedding anniversary party for Clyde and Lois Barker, Freeman and Norma Farrington and Donna and Clem Worcester attended.

Sympathy is extended to the family of Ruth (Vickie) Couture, who passed away in Lewiston at the age of 83 on Oct. 29 after several years of declining health. A family graveside service took place on Friday at Hanover Cemetery and on Saturday there was a celebration of her life at the First Congregational Church in Andover. The family has suggested that memorial donations be made to Gardner Roberts Memorial Library in Hanover.

D.A. Wilson and Company has completed work on a portion of the Howard Pond Road. The project included replacing culverts under driveways and digging out ditches that were then lined with stones. A 15-foot paved roadway is maintained in that area between The Country Hair Shed and about 900 feet further up the hill.

The dam at the outlet to Howard Pond has been opened and the level of the water is dropping. The pond appears quite deserted, as most summer folks have gone to warmer climates. High winds and rain recently knocked trees and branches onto wires causing several localized power failures.

Halloween got by with very little notice. The most "Trick or Treat" people that we heard about were ten at one household. Many reported having none.

Did you see the snow on the slopes at Sunday River last week? It is time to make sure the snowblowers and Minute Mount II snowplows are all tuned up and ready to go.

East Bethel



by Nancy Mercer

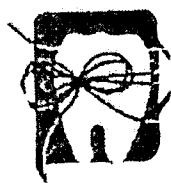
Alder River Grange will have a regular meeting at the Hall on Nov. 9 with a 6:30 p.m. potluck supper and

PUBLIC HEARING
Pursuant to Title 28 MRSA 252 -- a notice is hereby given that a Public Hearing will be held on November 19, 2007 at the Bethel Town Office to consider a Liquor License renewal from ChoSun located on Main St. Public comment will be heard at that time. Prior to the hearing date written comment may be issued to the Bethel Town Office or email at info@bethelmaine.org
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Please take notice that the Town of Newry, 422 Bear River Road, Newry, ME, 04261, is intending to file a Natural Resources Protection Act Permit application with the Maine Department of Environmental Protection pursuant to provisions of 38 MRSA 480-A through 480-BB on or about November 2, 2007.

The application is for a bank stabilization project on the Bear River at the following location: adjacent to Lone Pine Road, approximately half mile from the junction of Lone Pine Road and Route 2.

A request for a public hearing or a request that the Board of Environmental Protection assume jurisdiction over this application must be received by the Department in writing, no later than 20 days after the application is found by the Department to be complete and is accepted for processing. A public hearing may or may not be held at the discretion of the Commissioner or Board of Environmental Protection. Public comment on the application will be accepted throughout the processing of the application.

The application will be filed for public inspection at the Department of Environmental Protection's office in Portland during normal working hours. A copy of the application may also be seen at the municipal offices in Newry, Maine.

Written public comments may be sent to the regional office in Portland, where the application is filed for public inspection: MDEP, Southern Maine Regional Office, 312 Canco Road, Portland, ME 04103.

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the meeting at 7:30 p.m. Right after the meeting there will be a peel party to prepare for the Turkey Supper the next night. Alder River Grange will have a Turkey Supper with all the fixings on Nov. 10 at 5 p.m. Adults will be \$7 and under 13 will be \$3. Any veteran will get a free supper.

Katheryn Coolidge had a 12th birthday party on Nov. 3. For all her friends, she took them to Nancy Kimball's for ceramic work. They loved it! In the evening there was a birthday supper for her aunts and uncles; Mary Bean and Arthur Hertell went.

Esther Wilson and Butch Crockett attended Harold Clough's birthday party on Nov. 4.

Millie Jackson, Penny York and daughter had lunch with Lesli Mikool in Poland on Nov. 3.

If you have any news, give me a ring at 824-3350. God Bless the Troops.

West Paris

by Joyce Lamb
Daylight saving time arrived over the weekend. Did everyone make it to church on time?

On Sunday, Nov. 11, at the West Paris Universalist Church the Rev. Richard Beal will be "Observing Veterans Day," a service of tribute to all those, past and present, who risked their lives and sacrificed their illusions to serve their country and its democracy. Church starts at 9 a.m. followed by a coffee and social hour. All are welcome.

The 101st annual Chicken Pie Supper will be held on Nov. 15, the Thursday before Thanksgiving at the West Paris Universalist Church at 5:30 p.m. Beverly Stevens is chairperson. It takes many to prepare this large supper. Do come and enjoy the delicious chicken pies.

Marta Clements has returned from a group tour of the islands of the Grand Circle in Greece. They toured for three weeks and saw the devastation of their recent fires

and also the Olympic Stadiums. She had a wonderful time.

Ruth Hazelton flew to Washington, D.C., to be picked up by her granddaughter to go to Harbortowne Golf Conference Center at St. Michael, Md. The trip was to attend the wedding of Ruth's granddaughter, Melissa Vining to Walter Stundick. The wedding was held on Sept. 29 and Ruth reports it was a beautiful occasion. Congratulations to the newlyweds.

The neighbors on each side of me have construction projects that are progressing well. They look so nice, for everything is gleaming with new siding and fresh paint.

Thanksgiving is in two weeks. Do let me know your plans so they can be included in the paper.

My little companion still follows me around as I do the daily chores. She sits and watches and appears to approve that all is done properly.

Mason

by Richard Grover
Our neighbor, Ron Fournier, has had a busy fall so far. He guided several bear

hunters to successful bear seasons. He also helped a moose hunter bag a large bull up the Pleasant River valley. It was so far back that they had to get permission to use an ATV on national forest land to get the critter out. I haven't asked him about deer hunting yet.

Brother Rupert had minor surgery last week at Stephens Memorial. He is now doing well after some initial discomfort due to pain after the anesthesia wore off. He is back to enjoying playing cards on these long, post-daylight savings evenings.

I had a new experience, for me, while hunting last week, one I don't expect to ever witness again. As I walked a logging road, I heard a commotion in the woods just ahead. At first, it sounded like a buck deer rubbing the velvet off his horns, but it kept getting louder. After a loud crash, I decid-

ed it had to be a moose engagement. Sure enough, I could soon see two huge bulls, head to head, sparring — their antlers interlocked and rattling as their heads swung back and forth. I watched this for about two minutes, until one bull backed off and disappeared into the underbrush. Thinking the engagement was over, I continued up the road.

Shortly, I could hear the antlers clattering again! These sounds continued until I had gone far enough up the trail where I could no longer hear them. I'm thinking those "fellas" must have been practice jousting just for fun as the rut is usually over by this late in the fall. This may not be the case this year, though, as I saw two more moose a little later. One was a "smallish" cow, followed by a young bull sporting a small set of antlers. Maybe these were "late rutters."

One evening last week I let Snuffy out about the time we finished supper. He failed to show up the rest of the evening, unusual because he generally lies curled up in the driveway or on the porch for the night, not far from the kitchen door. About bedtime I went outside with a flashlight, calling and looking for him. No contact. Mona said he has probably treed something and is guarding it until we can get there. Next morning, no Snuffy! I had a hunting date and left early. Later, Mona called me via cell phone and said she found Snuffy with a 'coon treed in a very tall maple tree behind the garage! Good coon dog!

Bryant Pond

by Alice Hoyt
Services at the Baptist Church are Sunday School at 9:15 a.m., morning worship at 10:30 a.m., choir practice at 5 p.m. and evening service at 6 p.m. Wednesday evening at 6:30 is prayer meeting. Looking ahead: Seniors lunch on Tuesday, Nov. 13 at noon for 60 and over. Please sign up so they will know how many to plan

for. Thanksgiving Eve Service at 6:30 p.m. on Nov. 21.

Judith Grover/Tent 17 D.U.V. will meet on Monday, Nov. 12, at the home of Alice Hoyt. Please bring items for Togus Gift Shop and for patients for Christmas. Also bring items for the Soldiers' Christmas Stockings, to be sent. This meeting is nomination of officers and also inspection. Refreshments after the meeting. Stoneham and Norway Tents are invited to this meeting at 7 p.m.

Don't forget the Mock Hee Haw Show at the Grange Hall on Saturday, Nov. 17, at 7 p.m. Come help support the Grange.

Come to "Christmas in our Town" Showcase of Bryant Pond area small businesses on Nov. 17 from 9 a.m. to 2 p.m. at Bryant Pond Grange Hall. Come see what Christmas shopping can be like in our town. Lunch will be provided by the DUVCW. Stuff your own animal, have a book made with your child's name in it, maybe find some crafts, etc. You may be surprised what you can find. Call 665-2171 to rent a table.

The Woodstock-Greenwood Senior Citizens met at the Grange Hall for a meeting, dinner put on by the WHS Alumni, and program by Wendy Newmeyer from Maine Balsam Fir Products. She gave an interesting talk and gave each one a small fir pillow and calendar in which to keep appointments. Thanks, Wendy. The nominating committee is Joan Morgan, Mary Emmons and Patty W. Howe. The wood ticket was drawn and Bob Dixon from Norway won. Thanks to Jerold Emmons for the donation of the wood and Geff Inman for making the tickets. It was very generous. Next meeting will be at the American Legion Hall, Locke Mills, with the Auxiliary serving the dinner, and the Christmas Party. If you want to exchange a gift, bring one. Also, items for the food pantry (paper items as well as toothpaste and brushes, etc.) or food. Items for Children for Christ-

mas if you wish.

Historical Society
The Historical Society Museum is a source of information and inspiration to nearly everyone who sees it. The society looks forward to your participation. You can make a difference in the area through the Historical Society. It offers all it can for a small organization. The programs and research reports give you a sound perspective on many subjects. They take their responsibilities to the public seriously. Curator Larry Billings brought a spare guest book for the museum.

Meetings are the second Saturday of each month at 7 p.m. Larry Billings recently watched programs on Geneva, Switzerland and Milan, Italy, capitals of finance and fashion respectively. He finds the travel channel fascinating in general and watches it regularly.

Albany

by Sheila Dyke
Greetings and hello from Albany Township. Just about all of the pretty, colorful leaves have fallen from the trees, leaving them bare and barren looking. Once we get snow, the landscape will beautify, but, until then, we'll just have to look at naked trees.

It was nice getting an "extra" hour of sleep on Sunday. It was nice to sleep until 9, and then get up and have it actually be 8. Made it seem like we hadn't wasted the morning.

I want to thank everyone who helped me after my accident last week. The two gentlemen who stopped and pulled me from the car and called for help (I am so sorry, I never got your names!), another gentleman who stopped to be sure I was all right, Chief Carr and fellow Bethel Officer, the Bethel Fire Crew and the Ambulance Crew, thank you!

Sherwood, thank you so much for stopping to be sure I was OK, and for keeping a weather eye out for a vehicle for us. Thank you to Ed and Mary Jo for the loan of a vehicle, the moral support and help getting a vehicle. Also a thank you for all of the well wishers (too numerous to name) who called to make sure I was OK and for the words of support. I was fortunate — I walked away without a scratch or a bruise, just the shakes, hysteria and a few aches. My poor car, however, wasn't so lucky. I'll miss my little Escort! God was most certainly looking out for me and I thank Him most of all.

Waterford

by Rockie Graham
As I write this it is raining hard and has been for hours.

We need the rain; even the Crooked River is low, not to mention the ponds and lakes. It is still unseasonably warm and the birds still sing in the trees. We have a woodpecker that visits daily, sometimes two or three times a day. I believe some of them have gone south, but others seem to be prepared to winter over here. That is probably not good, but we like looking at them, nonetheless.

Friend Jim is up for more hay and he and Dave are getting ready to go buy some and then fill up the truck with what remains here. That will be a relief to have more space in the driveway. Tasha doesn't care, she has found some hay to lie on and she is happy. She can watch all the traffic go by and still be out of sight of most people. She is all dressed in orange so as not to be mistaken for a deer or other wild animal.

Today, the 8th, the Waterford Historical Society will hold a potluck supper and a Finnish Kantele Music Program. The supper starts at 6 p.m. and the

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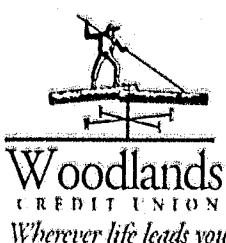
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program at 7 p.m. at the North Waterford Congregational Church. There will also be a discussion of the history of the Finns in Waterford and Harrison. Bring a main dish and dessert and beverages will be provided.

According to John Governale November is National Novel Writing month. If you send a 50,000-word novel by midnight on Nov. 30 to NaNoWriMoers you'll get a writer's certification from them. That's 22 days to write a novel. Computers ready, get typing.

Christian Nielson's attorney is appealing his sentence. I was hoping we were done with that episode. I believe in the bill of rights, etc., but when a man kills four people and confesses that he did it, why should he be able to appeal? Hat's to appeal? He did it, he admitted it, let it go. Do not waste my time and the state's money in allowing this to continue any longer.

I went to the first short story writing class and found that I knew at least half of the people there. It was great to see so many familiar faces, some of which I do not see too often. Now I just have to write a story. Any ideas out there?

That is all for this week. Have a great week; the weather promises to be great for the rest of the week.

From Whitman Memorial Library

We goofed! We did not get out our usual advertising for our monthly program. Today, Thursday, Nov. 8, at 2 p.m. Sarah Wright will be speaking on the Indians of Peru, South America. One of her topics will concern a group of women who have lost their homes in the rain forest. They are now making tapestries depicting the way of life in Peru. They are selling them and have be-

come self supportive. There may be some available for sale this afternoon. We hope to see you there. There is no charge and light refreshments will be served.

At our Board meeting held this past week we welcomed a new trustee, Sonja Davis, who is filling out Frank Campbell's term. Our thanks go out to Frank for his years of service as well.

Our librarian, Althea Hathaway, reported that an unnamed gentleman had donated a whole box of videos, books and books on tape. The books on tape have given our audio books a big boost. Thank you very much.

Another gentleman from out of state, Robert Van Waes, has donated a copy of "Maine Folks and Maine Ways," a delightful book of stories about Maine. Thank you to him also.

The Libra Foundation, which provides generous grants to small libraries around the country, has sent us a copy of "Raising Readers," five stories from Maine; a wonderful children's book. We truly appreciate the donation and all the good work the Libra Foundation does.

Our October program about the Grand Trunk Railways was very well attended. Unfortunately, John Ames, was ill and unable to attend, so those who brought their copies of the book were unable to get it autographed. John Davis of South Paris and Lenwood Andrews of South Woodstock took care of the program for us and it was well done. Thank you from all of us.

The latest improvement at our library is a ramp for access to the downstairs room. This will not only make access for a wheelchair, but also replaces a very awkward set of steps for everyone.

We will be taking part in the Oxford Hills One Book/One Community program again this year. I will report on all

information as I get it.

The Board meeting dates for 2008 will be in January, April, June and October, on the first Thursday of the month at 2:30 p.m. These meetings are open to the public. Also, please contact the librarian if you have any items that you would like to see addressed by the board. We are open from 1:30 to 5 on Tuesdays and 1:30 to 7 on Thursdays. The telephone number is 665-2505.

Most recent books at the library are: "The Parting," Beverly Lewis; "When Morning Comes," Cindy Woodsmall; "Water for Elephants," Sara Gruen; "Name Dropping," Jane Heller; "A Clearing in the Wild," Jane Kirkpatrick; "Just Beyond the Clouds," Karen Kingsbury; "The Choice," Nicholas Sparks; and "High Noon," Nora Roberts.

Come and check us out. There is something for everyone!

From The Lewin Center

The Lewin Center sponsors educational events and research to further causes of social justice. Its home, at the Gehring House on Broad Street, is also the site of many

local meetings, retreats, and educational events.

The Lewin Center is at an exciting and critical juncture. After a year of defining and stabilizing the organization, we are seeing increased usage of the Gehring House, are beginning stimulating programming, and have ongoing house renovation projects. A recent planning conference elicited valuable ideas for programming, fund-raising, and collaboration, energizing the group of Bethel volunteers, Board members, and donors and supporters from other parts of the country. The house was at its best, thanks to the efforts of Ginny Gamble, Ginger Kelly, Ruth Barrett, and Sally Taylor; baked goods were provided by Marcia Foster-Austin, Lorrie Hoeh and Becky Kendall.

We're now planning for a conference at the end of November presented by Evelin Lindner (www.humiliationstudies.org) entitled "The Dynamics of Humiliation in a Globalizing World." Part of the conference design is being planned by a team of Bethelites and will involve both preparatory work and follow-up projects within the community. We're excited to be providing this unique learning op-

portunity and welcome Bethel area residents to register for participation.

The Gehring House will be the site of a community holiday celebration on Sunday afternoon, Dec. 16. Be watching for more details.

If you'd like more information on any of the above, or just have questions about The Lewin Center, please call Nancy Davis at 256-6956. Visit us at www.lewincenter.org.

From Jackson-Silver Auxiliary

Once again, as in years past, the Jackson-Silver American Legion Auxiliary is taking orders for Christmas Light Bulbs for the three trees on the grounds of the Legion Hall on Gore Road in Locke Mills.

Any who wish may purchase a bulb for \$2 each in memory of, or in honor of, a veteran or a member of the veteran's family, as many as you may wish. You may place your order with

any of the active members until the tree lighting, which will take place on Thursday, Dec. 6, after the Post and Unit's 6 p.m. supper and the names of those for whom the bulbs were purchased have been read.

From Western Maine Girls Assoc.

The Western Maine Girls Association gratefully received a donation from the Lions. Four members of the Lions; Becky Morin, Martha Mason, Leslie Baumgartel and Susan Ellis (Gert Friel was the group support person) completed the Portland Half-Marathon and collected donations per mile totaling \$786.80. The donation will help the Girls on the Run program continue into the 2007/2008 season.

The local Lions group has a strong interest in programs for youth. A goal they have set in addition to supporting the

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School Lunch Week of Nov. 12

Telstar Lunches

Monday: Veterans' Day. No school.
Tuesday: Chicken parmesan, noodles, breadstick, salad bar, pizza choices, hot sandwich choices.
Wednesday: Rice bar w/egg roll, homemade cookie, yogurt and strawberries, salad bar, pizza choices, hot sandwiches.
Thursday: Turkey/gravy, peas, mashed potato, cranberry sauce, homemade roll, apple crisp, salad bar, hot dog/bun. No pizza.
Friday: Fish nuggets, potato puffs, hot sandwich options, salad bar, pizza choices.

SAD44 Elementary Schools Lunches

Monday: No school.
Tuesday: Chicken parmesan w/noodles, broccoli florets, salad bar, quick pic: ham cubes, cheese stick, dinner roll, pb&j.
Wednesday: Cheese pizza, corn cobbettes, salad bar, yogurt and strawberries, hot dog/roll, pb&j.
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Friday: Italian sandwich, potato puffs, salad bar, cheeseburger/bun, pb&fluff.

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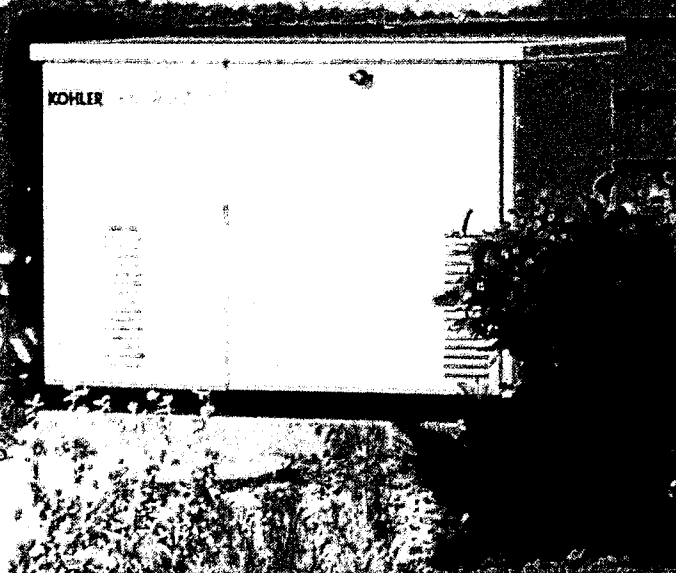
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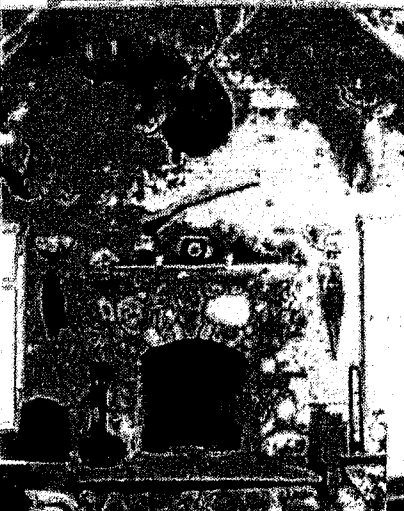
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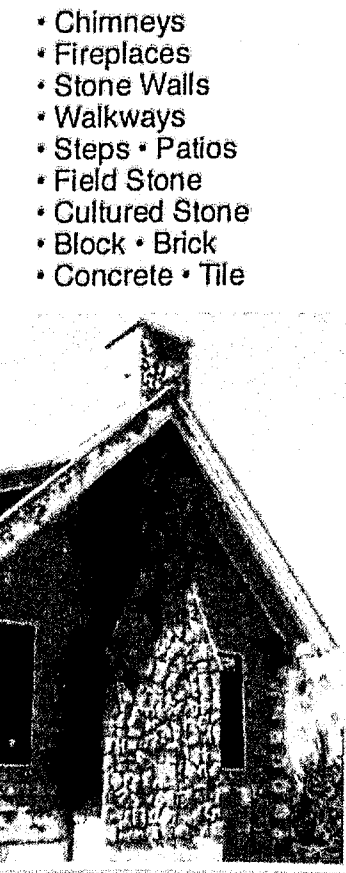
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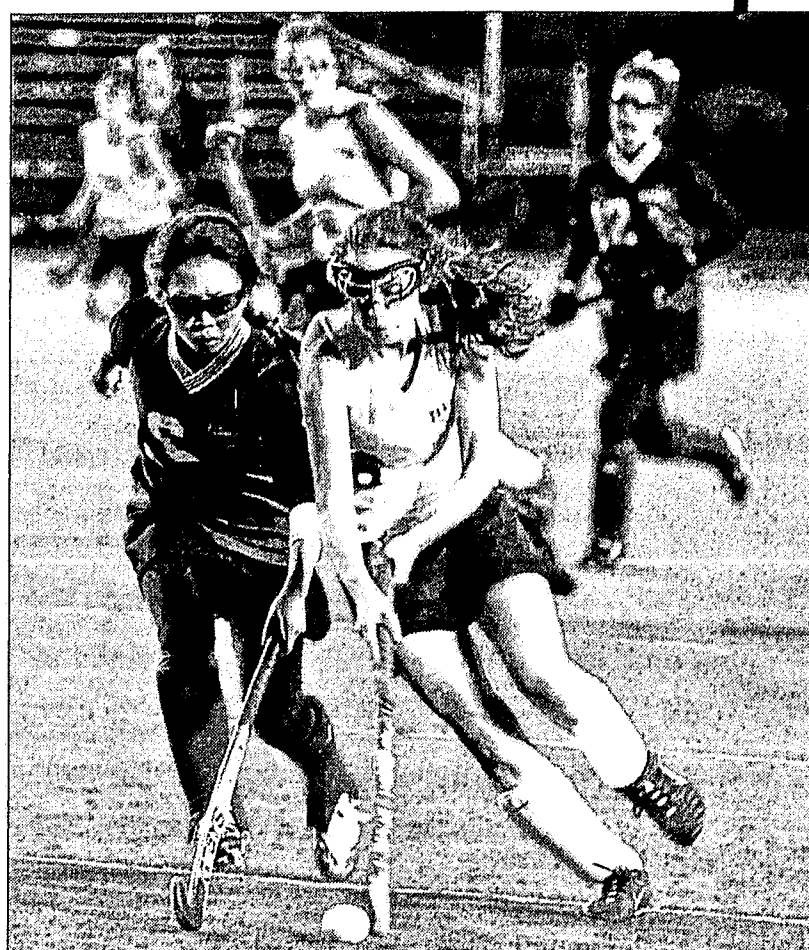
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Sports

SAD END TO A GREAT SEASON

The Telstar High School Field Hockey Team fell 4-2 Tuesday in the State Class C Championship game against Foxcroft Academy. Near right, the Rebels' Whitney Mills moves the ball against a defender in the Foxcroft end of the field. Far right, as the team looks on, Captain Bailey Davis embraces Coach Gail Wight during the awards ceremony at the end of the game.

(Photos: A. Aloisio)



High School Field Hockey

State Class C Championship at Fitzpatrick Stadium: Foxcroft Academy 4, Telstar 2; Nov. 6—Telstar's Bailey Davis scored both Rebel goals in a loss to Foxcroft. Chelsea Bean had an assist, and Brianna Douglass had four saves in goal. Telstar outshot Foxcroft, 11-8. "We had opportunities to score but it didn't go," said coach Gail Wight, noting that Foxcroft's opportunity to practice on an artificial turf field may have helped their players in adjusting to the Fitzpatrick turf. Despite the loss, she said, "It was a great season."

High School Boys' Varsity Soccer

Gould Academy 4, Hyde School 1—Nikolai Dziezyc led Gould with a hat trick. Kevin Dawson scored Gould's fourth and final goal in the eighty-second minute. Other notable players include Brian Murphy, Sam Dasch, Jonathan Parsons.

Boys' JVA Soccer

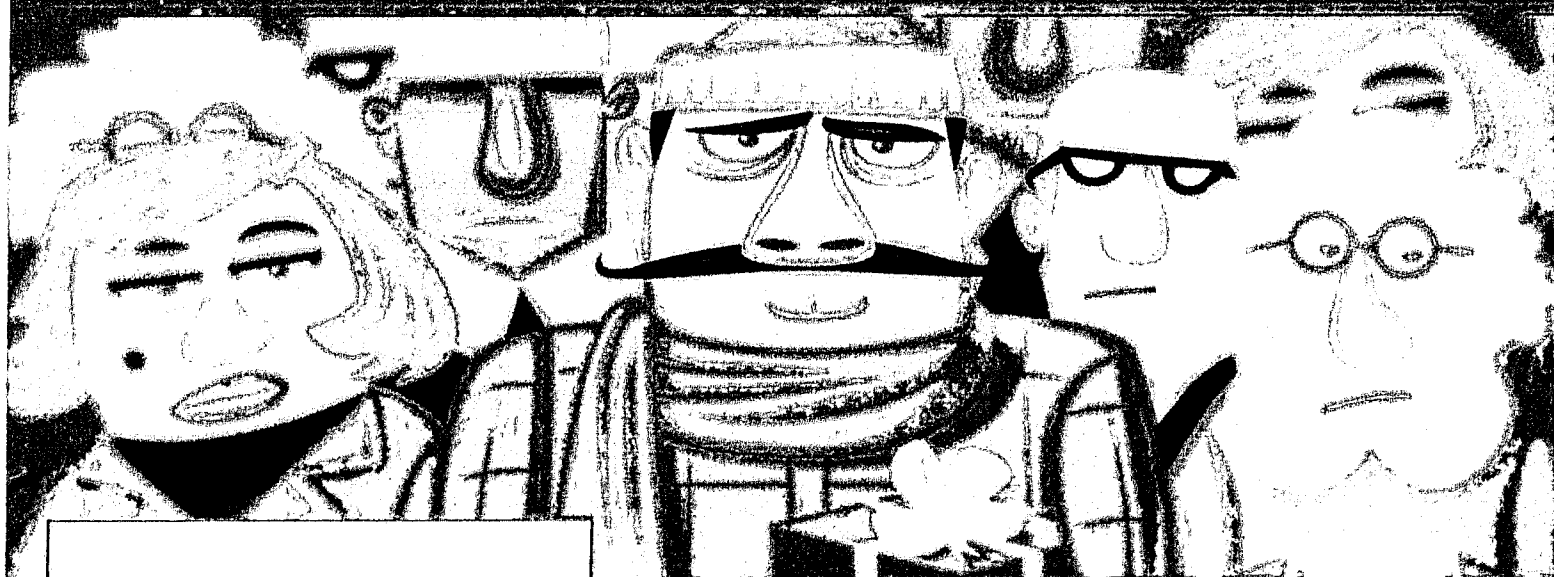
Hebron Academy 4, Gould Academy 0; Nov. 2.

Cross Country

Gould returned from the MAISAD championships with eight medals and approximately 13 personal records. Henry Gaudion (17:41) and Cammie Wolff (21:26) raced to personal bests and to the fastest 5k times in recent Gould history. Jeff Lewis and Lucien Childs-Mitchell reached personal records both finishing under 20:00 for the first time. James Olcott, Pete Cow-

an and Seamus Reynolds also ran good races. Alice Hotopp finished in the top 10, and Farley Casselman and Katie Gibson ran their best races of the year. Courtney Amman, Audrey Isom, Gigi Dejoy, Cassie Yasko, and Katherine Raker rounded out a tremendous performance for the women's team. The Boys' J.V. finished second overall with five runners in the top ten - Scott Talbot, Brad Bowden, Jim Gibson, Matt Gould, and Ben Sahin.

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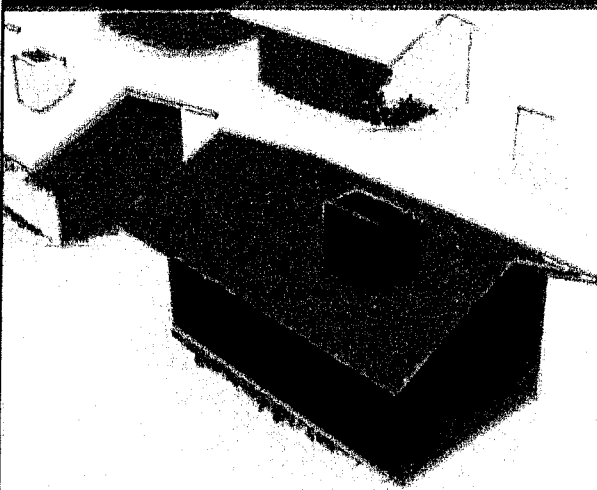
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WMGA is to bring to Bethel a program called Leo's, which is a service-based program for youth. The Western Maine Girls Association is not only thankful but inspired, as one of the walkers turned 72 two days after completing the half-marathon.

U.M. CHURCH TREE LIGHTING
The congregation of the United Methodist Church is again planning a lighted Christmas tree on the church lawn during the holiday season.

Anyone who would like to honor or memorialize someone is invited to purchase a light on the tree.

Names of those honored will be read at the lighting ceremony, following a 6:30 p.m. public supper on Dec. 8.

Those wishing to light up another's life or remember a loved one this holiday season may send \$5 for each Christmas light, including the name of the person to be honored, to Bethel United Methodist Church, PO Box 387, Bethel, ME 04217.

For more information, please call 824-2483.

Obituaries



PAULINE B. MYERS

Pauline Browne Myers, age 92, died Monday, Nov. 5, 2007 at her home in Brunswick surrounded by family.

She was born in Bethel, on July 1, 1915, together with her twin brother, Paul, to Sylvanus H. and Eva Smith Browne. She attended Bethel schools and graduated from Gould Academy Class of 1933. On March 23, 1935, she married Wilbur R. Myers in Portsmouth, N.H. Together they were active members of the Gould Academy family and the Bethel community

until his retirement from the Gould faculty in 1972. Mr. Myers died in 1994.

Mrs. Myers spent most of her life in Bethel. After retirement, they lived in Holiday, Fla., and summered at their cottage in South Harpswell, until moving to Brunswick in 1988. She was a member of the Eastern Star. She enjoyed regular bridge games and was an avid golfer, while a member of Seven Springs Country Club in Florida.

Mrs. Myers is survived by three sons, Wilbur S. Myers and his wife Vicky of Bryant Pond, Michael K. Myers and his wife Diane of Sanford, Glen L. Myers of Lisbon Falls; three daughters, Mary Anne Smith and her husband Dr. Charles of York Beach, Sandra Paap of Milwaukee, Wis., Judith Carver and her husband Harold of Brunswick; a brother, James A. Browne and his wife Pauline of No. Liberty, Ind., a sister, Roberta Clark also of No. Liberty, Ind., a daughter-in-law, Mary G. Myers of Gorham; 13 grandchildren; 20 great-

grandchildren; several nieces and nephews. She was predeceased by a son, David Myers; two brothers, Paul E. Browne and Robert I. Browne; two sisters, Betty Anderson and Barbara Emmons.

A celebration of Mrs. Myers life will be held at 11 a.m. on Saturday, Nov. 10, at the Brackett Funeral Home, 29 Federal Street, Brunswick. A local reception will immediately follow.

Memorial contributions can be made to CHANS Hospice, 45 Baribeau Drive, Brunswick, ME 04011. A life tribute of Mrs. Myers' life will be viewable at www.brackettfuneralhome.com.

FRANKLIN E. BURRIS

Franklin Ernest Burris, 99, formerly of West Bethel, died at Aiken, S.C.

Franklin was born July 26, 1908, to Thomas and Bertha (Swicker) Burris in Somerville, Mass. He attended schools there until their move to West Bethel in 1914. He graduated from Gould Academy in Bethel in 1926 and Bates

College in Lewiston in 1930.

He had two brothers, Ralph and Russell, and two sisters, Beulah and Esther.

All seven living children were born in West Bethel, from 1939 to 1954.

During the depression years his WPA jobs were picking fir and spruce cones (more profitable than chopping wood), haying, logging, and working in a wood mill.

By the time he wed Doris Smith of Lowell, Mass., in 1938, he worked for the state of Maine Department of Roads, a fair-weather job for years, so he continued logging during the winters. Because he was too old and with four children to enlist in WWII, he tried working in a South Portland shipyard welding, but using torches in cramped hull spaces caused him to leave. He instead helped build the Brunswick Air Base runways.

He retired from the state of Maine Road Department in 1974 and moved to Indialantic, Fla., living in the same home until Aug. 18, 2006 when

he moved into Mary's South Carolina home. For six years he was the sole caregiver with intermittent help from his children after his wife's stroke in 1991.

He loved to travel, and after his wife died he was able to cruise through the Panama Canal; tour the western National Parks and Key West; and attend many grandchildren's weddings and family trips.

He is survived by his children: June Blankenship of Indialantic, Fla., Gloria Hopkins and David of St. Augustine, Fla., Linda Watson and Tom of Kearney, Neb., Margaret Wilson and Rimmel of Valencia, Calif., Mary Lockwood and Jon of Aiken, S.C., and Franklin Joseph Burris and Janet of Solon, Iowa; 17 grandchildren; and 22 great-grandchildren. He was preceded in death by two brothers; sister, Beulah; a newborn daughter; his wife; and their third daughter, Cynthia Waugh.

Memorial Services will be held in 2008 with his ashes scattered in Maine.

Inaugural Bethel Area Business SHOWCASE

Friday, November 9

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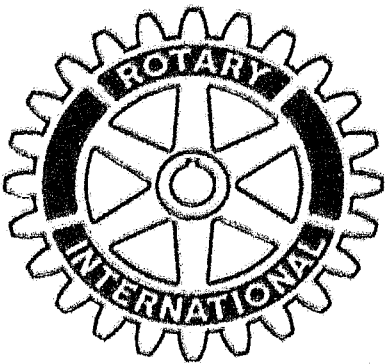
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Events Calendar

9 a.m. (Fridays) — Oxford Hills Duplicate Bridge at Pure Share Food Coop, 443 Main Street, Norway. For more information, call Mini Bell (743-8081) or Rowena Palmer (743-2882) or e-mail bridge@megallink.net.
Every Wednesday 7 to 9 p.m. — The Yeti To Be Named Banjo Club practices in the Commons of the Pure Share Market at 477 Main Street, Norway. Interested banjoists are invited to join. The public is welcome to come in and listen. FMI: call Alan Hamilton at 875-2680.
7 p.m. (second Tuesday each month) — Open mike original poetry reading at Mouse and Bean, 63 Main Street, Bethel. FMI: 824-2366. Come read or just have coffee and take in the scene.
First and Third Wednesdays 9 to 12 a.m. — Veterans' Advocate will be at Maine Veterans' Home, South Paris.

Thursday, Nov. 8

7:30 p.m. — "Maine Character and Characters," will conclude with a presentation by Bethel Historical Society Executive Director Stanley R. Howe on the life and times of a Bethel "character," Elizabeth Mason Carter, who lived nearly a century until 2006. The lecture will be held in the meeting room of the Dr. Moses Mason House. Free and open to everyone.

Thursday, Friday, Nov. 8 and 9

7 p.m. — "The Business of Being Born" sneak preview. Ricki Lake's new documentary film exploring birth in America inside and outside the hospital will be held at The Commons (next to the Pure Share Coop), Main Street, Norway. Cost: \$10 to benefit the Maine Association of Certified Professional Midwives. Refreshments included. FMI: call 647-5919 or visit www.thebusinessofbeingborn.com

Thursday-Sunday, Nov. 8, 9, 10 and 11

8 p.m. (Thursday-Saturday) and 2 p.m. (Sunday) — OHMPAA's play, "Don't Dress for Dinner," a French farce by Marc Camoletti and adapted by Robin Hawdon, will be held at Norway Grange, Whitman Street. Tickets: \$10 for adults and \$8 for seniors and children under 12, on sale at Books N Things, Main Street, Norway (743-7200) or available at door.

Friday, Nov. 9

Noon to 8 p.m. — Inaugural Bethel Area Business Showcase and Job Fair at Telstar High School gymnasium. Cost: \$45 for chamber members, \$65 for nonmembers for an 8x10-foot booth. Doors will open to public at 5 p.m. to help them better understand products and services available in the Bethel area. FMI: call Bethel Area Chamber of Commerce (824-2282).

1 to 6 p.m. — American Red Cross Blood Drive at Gould Academy, Bethel.

7 p.m. — "The Business of Being Born" a sneak preview of documentary with Ricki Lake, due to be released in March 2008 will be playing at The Birth House, 28 South High Street, Bridgton. \$10 donation at the door includes dessert and tea. FMI: 647-5919. The film also will be shown at The Commons, Main Street, Norway on Saturday, Nov. 10 at 7 p.m.

Saturday, Nov. 10

9 a.m. to 1 p.m. — Valuation Day at Bethel Historical Society's O'Neil Robinson House for a \$5 donation to the society, Jay Boschetti of Steam Mill Antiques will provide a value for one or two items per person.

9 a.m. to 3 p.m. — 8th annual Craft Fair at Market Square Health Care Center, South Paris. Craft tables available for \$10. Call 743-7086 ext. 30 by Nov. 7 to reserve a table.

10 to 12 a.m. — Cranberry Wreaths, sponsored by Big Apple Food Store, at McLaughlin Garden, Main Street, South Paris. Preregistration required. \$25 members and \$30 nonmembers. FMI: call Jennifer at 743-8820 or visit www.mclaughlingarden.org.

10 a.m. to 2 p.m. — "Thank You to the Troops" luncheon hosted by Sunday River's Grand Summit Ballroom at Sunday River Ski Resort, Newry. All proceeds will go to sending care packages to troops stationed overseas. Sunday River VP of Mountain Operations Marvin Collins and Pastor John Pillsbury are scheduled to speak at the luncheon. Event is open to the

public and a \$10 donation is suggested. Please RSVP to Rich Viitala at 357-6229 or docviitala@yahoo.com. A full Italian buffet will be served along with dessert.

4:30 to 7 p.m. — Benefit Spaghetti Supper for Cindy Cox, who is battling cancer, will be held at Locke Mills Legion Hall on Gore Road. Adults, \$7, children 3 to 12, \$4.

5 p.m. — Turkey Supper at Alder River Grange, East Bethel. Free to veterans.

5 p.m. — Public Supper at Blazing Star Lodge, Route 232, Rumford Corner. Pork loins cooked in coals, mashed potato, green beans, coleslaw, bread, stuffing, coffee, punch, pie. Adults, \$8 and under 12, \$4. Takeouts available. Stair chair on back stairs. FMI: call Joe and Faye Roy 364-4715.

6 to 8 p.m. — Reception to celebrate Vicki Rackliffe's 20 years of service as executive director of Mahoosuc Arts Council at The Lewin Center, Bethel. Light hors d'oeuvres. R.S.V.P. by calling 824-3575.

7 to 10 p.m. — Old Time Dance at the Locke Mills Town Hall. Music by the Richard Felt Orchestra. Benefit of the Greenwood Historical Society.

Sunday, Nov. 11

8 a.m. to 4 p.m. — Snowmobile/ATV Safety Course, sponsored by Snow Valley Sno-Goers and Roxbury ATV Riders at Snow Valley Sno-Goers Clubhouse, 209 South Main Street, Andover. Children 10 and under 16 must have a parent or guardian present. Lunch provided. Course is free. FMI: 545-2715.

9:30 a.m. to 4:30 p.m. — Closing Day for Maine Wildlife Park, Gray. A veteran will receive one free adult admission to the park on this day (Veteran's Day). FMI: call 287-3303.

2 p.m. — Pennacook Art Center, Rumford: Maine poet Jim Mello will read and sign "Early Late Bloom" with poet Henry Braun.

Tuesday, Nov. 13

3 and 5 p.m. — Food Pantry Notice for Woodstock Seventh Day Adventist Church: individuals currently signed up should pick up their boxes today (Nov. 13) at Thurlow Hall. FMI: call 665-2226 or 875-2001.

5 to 8:30 p.m. — Parent-Teacher Conferences at Telstar Middle School. Interested parents/guardians asked to call 824-2136, press 2 to schedule appointment.

Wednesday, Nov. 14

11 a.m. — Bethel Senior Citizens Club meeting/luncheon at the American Legion Hall in Locke Mills. Speaker: Jim Miclon on the 911 system. Cost of luncheon: \$7.50.

11 a.m. to 2 p.m. — "Learn to Accept Yourself and Understand Others," sponsored by River Valley Technology Center, River Valley Growth Council and River Valley Chamber of Commerce at River Valley Technology Center on 60 Lowell Street, Rumford, for entrepreneurs, start-ups and existing businesses. Cost is \$10, and lunch, River Valley Chamber of Commerce members pay only \$8. Pre-payment required (no refunds issued); call Lorraine at 369-0396 or e-mail lorraine@rvgc.org by Nov. 12.

Thursday, Nov. 15

3 to 6:30 p.m. — Parent-Teacher Conferences at Telstar Middle School. Interested parents/guardians asked to call 824-2136, press 2 to schedule appointment.

6 p.m. — Bethel Lions Club dinner/meeting at Bethel Methodist Church, Main Street.

6:30 p.m. — Sports Awards at Telstar Regional High School. Refreshments at 6:30 and awards begin at 7 p.m.

7 p.m. — Cape Cod Irish duo Stanley and Grimm, a presentation by New England Celtic Arts at Skye



MAINE WILDLIFE PARK CLOSING FOR THE SEASON NOVEMBER 11

On Sunday November 11th, the Maine Wildlife Park will close for the 2007 season. Since it is also Veteran's Day, the park would like to recognize and thank all Maine military personnel and veterans for their service to our country by offering them one free

adult admission to the park on our final day of operation for 2007. The wildlife park had a very successful 2007 season, with record-breaking attendance and a variety of events scheduled throughout the summer. School programs and tours were conducted regularly for thousands of children. And volunteers donated hundreds of hours of their time in projects too numerous to list to benefit and beautify the park.

For the most part, the park's wildlife over-winter outdoors, the way they naturally would in the wild. However, park staff will be busy creating natural shelters and windbreaks for the animal's protection from extreme winter conditions. We look forward to seeing new and regular visitors in mid April of 2008; with the park opening as soon as weather permits on or around April 15.

The Maine Wildlife Park has over 25 species of native wildlife on display, plus wildlife gardens, nature trails, and other interactive exhibits and displays. The park is open daily through November 11th from 9:30am-4:30pm. Starting November 4th, visitors must leave the premises by 5:00pm because of darkness due to daylight savings time. Admission to the park is free for ages 3 and under; \$4.00 ages 5-12; \$6.00 for adults, and \$4.50 for seniors. Groups of 15 or more are \$3.00 per person. Bring a picnic and spend the day! A great holiday gift: 2008 Family and Community Season Passes are available, and are an incredible bargain for families and groups that visit the park several times over the course of the summer.

For more information, please call the Maine Wildlife Park at 207-657-4977; or check us out online at www.mainewildlifepark.com or www.mefishwildlife.com.

Theatre Performing Arts Center in South Carthage. Pre-show fiddle jam at 6:30 p.m. Old and new interpretations of jigs, reels played with fiddle, guitar and voice. Tickets: \$10 at door. FMI or tickets: call 562-4445.

Friday, Nov. 16

10:30 a.m. — Oxford County Education Association-Retired meeting/luncheon at Locke Mills American Legion Hall, Gore Road. Program: New Education Building and Green Heating at UMF. Martha and David Pillsbury will have a Community Participation/Legislative Update. Fundraiser: silent auction. New retirees welcome. If not on phone tree, call 743-7677 to reserve a lunch.

Saturday, Nov. 17

9 a.m. to 2 p.m. — Christmas in Our Town," showcase of the Bryant Pond area small businesses at Bryant Pond Grange Hall. Lunch provided by DUVCW. Stuff your own animal, have a book made with your child's name in it, find crafts, etc. To rent a table, call 665-2171.

9:30 a.m. to 3:30 p.m. — Holiday Craft Fair at Oxford Hills Comprehensive High School, South Paris. Over 150 crafters, over 125 door prizes, free babysitting. Fee: \$1, free for 12 and under and 65 and over.

10 a.m. to 2 p.m. — "Snowflake Fair," in Vestry of the Lovell United Church of Christ, on Route 5 in Center Lovell, by the Lovell Ladies Circle. Gift table, featuring knitted items, balsam fir pillows, note cards. Celebration Baskets, Christmas tree ornaments, handcrafted American Girl doll clothes, jewelry, handbags, much more. Food table, with pies, breads, cookies, cakes, jams and jellies. Greens table with handmade balsam

wreaths and decorative partridgeberry bowls. Treasures table with collectibles, toys, antiques and holiday items. Luncheon will be available for purchase.

2 to 4 p.m. — Open House to celebrate the 50th wedding anniversary of Dennis and Rita Wilson at Bear River Grange Hall, Newry. FMI: call Jodie at 824-3180.

7:30 p.m. — Oddfellow Theater, Route 117, Buckfield, will present The Dave Rowe Trio. Tickets: \$12 for adults, \$10 for seniors and \$6 for children 12 and under. FMI: visit www.oddfellow.com/nov.html or call 336-3306.

8:30 a.m. to 12:30 p.m. — Holiday Fair at Rumford Point Congregational Church UCC, Route 2/232, Rumford Point. Brunch served during fair. Baked goods, crafts, quilt raffle, etc. Local woman Barbara Hammond will make earrings to order with colors of your choice. FMI: call Angela at 364-3265.

7 p.m. — Hee Haw Show at Franklin Grange Hall, Bryant Pond.

Slide Lecture and Presentation, "Where in the World is Kingdom County," by Howard Frank Mosher, award-winning New England author, sponsored by Mahoosuc Land Trust at Bingham Auditorium, Gould Academy. Cost: \$5 voluntary donation requested to defray costs. FMI: call 824-3806 for time of lecture.

Monday, Nov. 19

10 a.m. — Essentials of College Planning Workshop at Maine Educational Opportunity Center (MEOC), at University of Maine, 232 Main Street, South Paris. Workshop is 2 to 3 hours and outlines the four steps in the college process: admissions, financial aid, career planning and study skills. Free and pre-registration required (800) 281-3703.

Support Services

ABUSED WOMEN'S ADVOCACY PROJECT

AWAP serves all of Oxford County and provides emergency shelter, court advocacy and support groups with child care. Rumford office 369-0750; Norway office 743-5086; 24 hour hotline 1-800-559-2927

AA MEETINGS

Bethel Freedom Group's Big Book Meeting Sundays at 6pm at the United Methodist Church, Main Street.

Bethel Freedom Group's Speaker/Discussion Meeting, Tuesdays at 6pm at the United Methodist Church, Main Street.

Bethel Freedom Group's 12 Step/Traditions Meeting, Fridays at 6pm at Bethel United Methodist Church.

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ALCOHOL & DRUG COUNSELING

Alcohol and drug counseling. Saturdays at Bethel Counseling Center, 16 Parkway (Professional Building). Tom Kelly, LADC, 357-7354

EXCHANGES

District Exchange Community Thrift Shop accepts donations of in-season clothing in clean, wearable condition only. Drop-off hours and shopping: Monday 1-4pm, Thursday 4-6pm and Saturday, 10am-12pm.

The Woodstock Seventh Day Adventist Church Community Service Center announces that individuals or families requiring assistance with food needs in the South Woodstock, Bryant Pond, West Paris and Sumner areas are invited to call 674-2566, 674-2663, or 665-2226 to learn more details.

MS SUPPORT GROUP

Meets the first Friday of the month from 1-2:30pm at the West Parish Congregational Church, next to Gould Academy. For more information, call Darcy Lund at 739-2888.

MENTAL ILLNESS SUPPORT GROUP

Beacon House Social Club, 150 Congress Street, Rumford, a drop-in social club for adults suffering with mental, emotional, or physical illness, provides support, relaxation, and socialization. Monday 1 to 5pm; Tuesday 9am-2pm; Wednesday 9am-8pm; Wednesday 3-8pm; Friday 2-7pm; Saturday 11am-4pm. Oxford County Mental Health Services, support for adults and children with mental illness, same location, second floor, open Monday-Friday 8am-4pm. For more information, call 364-3549 or (800) 335-9999, or in off-hours 928-3222.

POST PARTUM SUPPORT GROUP

"Meet the Midwives" meets from 5-6:30 every first Tuesday of the month, and the Post Partum Support Group meets every fourth Wednesday of the month from 6:30-7:30. The meetings take place at Blue Moon Midwives, 176 Main Street, Norway, directly across from Stephen's Memorial Hospital. For more information, call 207-739-2800 or visit www.bluemoon-midwives.com

REACH

Rape Education and Crisis Hotline 1-800-871-7741. Sexual assault/sexual abuse hotline, same number. Support groups and awareness education, past or present victims of abuse.

VETERANS' SERVICES (STATE/VA BENEFITS)

Maine Veterans Home, S. Paris, first Wednesday each month, 9-12 noon (743-6300); Career Center in Rumford (864-3718), second Thursday 9-12 noon; Lewiston (795-4590), 29 Westminster St., 7:30am to 4pm, third thru Friday, Location: Monday-Sunday School 2:45-4:15pm. Tel. 392-4841.

Church Services

ALBANY

Congregational Church - Hunts Corner, 9:30a.m. Sunday worship and Sunday School at 9am; Pastor Eddie Gammon. Bible Study 6:30 Thursdays at the home of Fernand Coriveau.

ANDOVER

First Congregational Church Rev. Jane Rich. Sunday morning worship 10a.m. followed by coffee fellowship. All are welcome. FMI: 392-3761.

Calvary Bible Church - Pastor Ken Wagstaff. Sunday School 9:30am. Morning worship 10:45am. Wednesday prayer meeting 6:30pm. Rt. 5, S. Andover. 392-1121.

BETHEL

Bethel Alliance Church - Rev Kevin Belling. Sundays: Sunday School for adults and children at 9am. Morning worship service at 10am. Kidz Klub (4 yrs-5th grade) at 5:30pm. Prayer fellowship Wednesdays at 7pm. Thursdays: Youth Group (6th-12th grade) at 6:30pm. For more information call 824-2289

Church of the Nazarene - Pastor Chuck Mason, 9:30 a.m. Sunday School. 10:30 a.m. morning worship. Wednesday evening service in different locations. Call for info. 824-4023 (voice mail) or 824-2289 FMI

West Parish Congregational - Rev. Virginia Rickeman. 10 a.m. worship, child care available. Prayer, Tuesday, 8 a.m. FMI call 824-6550.

Our Lady of the Snows - Saturday mass at 6 p.m. Rev. Angelo Levasseur. 364-4556 United Methodist - Geoffrey Gross, Pastor. 10:30 a.m. Sunday worship. Sunday School, 9:30 a.m.

West Bethel Union - Morning worship and 9 a.m. Sunday School. For information, call 836-3333 or 836-2882. Rev. Earl H. Bell.

Pleasant Valley Bible - Pastor Aaron McNally. Sunday Services: Sunday School, 9am, all ages; Morning Worship 10am. Junior church and nursery available. Mens bible study Monday at 6pm. Ladies bible study Tuesday 2:30pm; prayer meeting Tuesday 6pm; Awana Youth Program Wednesdays, 3:30pm Cubbies (age 3-4); 3:30pm Sparks (K-2nd grade); 6:15pm Truth & Training (grade 3-6) FMI 836-3006 or 824-2037

Episcopal House Church - Holy communion service the third or fourth Sunday of every month at 4 p.m. at 38 Chapman Street. For further information, call the Reverend Gwyneth Bohr at 824-2913.

Church of Christ - at home of Keith Hamel, minister, 307 Walker's Mills Road (Route 26), Bethel. Worship at 9 a.m. Sunday. 824-3577 FMI

Seventh Day Adventist Fellowship: Meets at the Nazarene Church on Saturdays, on Church Street in Bethel. For more info, call 824-8939.

EAST STONEHAM

Oxford County United Parish Churches in Stoneham and North Waterford - Services at 10 a.m. at the North Waterford Congregational Church (UCC), located on the Five Kezars Road, off Routes 35 & 37, North Waterford (November through winter months). Choir practice 9am, followed by Bible Study at 9:15am. Church School for stu-

dents through grade 4 is after school on Tuesday afternoon at the Stoneham Town Office Fire Station Rev. George Frohig, 663-6461.

GORHAM, NH

Assembly of God - Pastor Paul LeVigen. Sunday School 9:30 a.m., Sunday service 10:30 a.m., Sunday evening service 7 p.m. Wednesday Bible Study 7 p.m. FMI 603-466-2851.

Gorham Congregational Church - Interim minister Rev. Kent Schneider. Sunday morning worship and church school at 10:30am. Communion is celebrated the first Sunday of each month. FMI 603-466-2136

HARRISON

Bolster's Mills United Methodist Church - Bolster's Mills Road, Harrison. Rev. Walter R. Brown, Pastor. Sunday worship at 9:45 a.m. Church school 10:15 a.m. for kids kindergarten - grade 12. Call 583-9024 or 968-7040 for more info.

LOCKE MILLS

Locke Mills Union - Rev. Frank Haines. Sunday morning service will begin at 9 a.m. Bible study at the church is every Tuesday at 6:30pm. Everyone is welcome

MEXICO

Church of Jesus Christ of Latter Day Saints - 265 Main Street. Worship service Sundays at 10am. Pres. Peter Beeckel. 364-5881

NEWRY

Sunday River Christian Ministry - Weddings, Baptisms, Funerals, etc. held in mountain settings, riverside, or your choice by Reverend Don Coverdale. Cell phone 781-716-8066. On mountain interdenominational worship services will resume with ski season

NORWAY/PARIS

First Church of Christ, Scientist - Sun day service 10 a.m., Wed. Testimony service 7:30 p.m. 5 Morrill Rd. Rt. 118 (catercorner to Norway Country Club). Norway. Call 824-4099 FMI or ride

Trinity Lutheran Church - Route 117 S. Paris. Pastor Henry Male. Sunday School at 9am, Sunday morning service 10:15 a.m. with coffee, refreshments and fellowship immediately after. Sunday School at 9 a.m.

North Paris Federation - Morse Hill Road, North Paris. Sunday Service 8 a.m. Pastor Bruce Tyner. 674-2968. Singers/operation third Sunday each month alternating with West Paris Baptist Church at 7 p.m.

Oxford Hills Friends (Quakers) - Sun day worship 9:30 a.m. at HOPE Ripley Center, High Street, S. Paris across the park from the Post Office. Call Ursula Brandon at 665-2880 or Sue Reilly at 966-2012 for more information

Christ Episcopal Church - 35 Paris St. Sunday Services at 8 and 10 a.m. Sunday School at 10 a.m. Informal worship at 5 p.m. Sundays. Healing service with communion 9:30 a.m. on Wednesday. Rev. Anne Stanley. Call 743-6782 for more information

First Baptist Church of Paris - On the Common at the top of Paris Hill. 10:30 a.m. worship service. Sunday School at 9:30 a.m. Coffee hour follows the service. Fellowship

lunch held the first Sunday of each month following worship. Pastor Ron Blake.

St. Catherine's: Saturday 6 p.m. Vigile Mass; Sunday 8:30 a.m. Mass. Unitarian Universalist Church of Norway - 11am worship (Sept - June). Child care is provided. Religious education classes 11am 12:15pm. FMI 743-2828.

OXFORD

St. Mary's - Saturday 4 p.m. Vigile Mass. Our Lady of Ransom. Sunday 10:30 a.m. Mass

RUMFORD

St. Barnabas Episcopal Church - Holy Communion, 9:30 a.m. Rev. Tim Parsons. Priest in charge. Special holidays will be announced. Stone church at the rotary

RUMFORD CENTER

Praise Assembly of God. Pastor Justin Thacker. Adult and teen Sunday school 9am. Sunday worship service at 10am. Sunday prayer meeting at 6pm. Wednesday night bible study and youth group 7pm. 170 Andover Road. FMI call 364-3636 or see our website at <http://www.fornministry.com/usmeagood-paap>

RUMFORD POINT

Rumford Point Church - Sunday service, Sunday School, 10:30 a.m. Pastor Frank Haines

SUMNER

East Sumner Congregational. Linda Kimball, pastor. Sunday service, 9 a.m.

WEST PARIS

Unitarian Universalist Church of West Paris - 9 a.m. worship 674-2363

West Paris Baptist - Sunday Worship 9:15am. Bruce Tyner, Pastor. Sunday School Preschool thru kindergarten 9:45am. Sunday School Grades 1-6, 10:25am. Sunday evening worship 7:00 p.m. Monday Diaconate meeting first Monday of the month. Tuesday ladies fellowship meets the fourth Tuesday of every month. Tea & Toys Time 8: Weekly 9:30-11:30am. Adult Choir Wednesday evenings. Wednesday Bible Study and Prayer 7pm. church business meetings the third Wednesday of the month.

West Paris Congregational Church - Linda Kimball, pastor. Sunday Worship 11 a.m., Sunday School 10 a.m.

WOODSTOCK

Bryant Pond Baptist - Pastor Lawrence Hodgekins. Sundays. Sunday School 9:15 a.m. Adult Bible Fellowship 9:15 a.m. Morning Worship 10:30 a.m. Evening Service 6:00 p.m. Wednesdays: Kid's hour 6:30 p.m. Prayer meeting & bible study 6:30 p.m. Woodstock Seventh day Adventist - Pastor Richard Wright (207-797-9678). Saturday: 9:20 a.m. Sabbath school. 11 a.m. worship service.

Pinkhook Meeting House (Rt. 232, North Woodstock). Hymn Sing, last Friday of each month, 7 p.m. all welcome.

Mahoosuc Mountain Friends a worship group meeting in the unprogrammed tradition of Friends (Quakers) Sundays, 9:30 a.m. at the Whitman Memorial Library, Bryant Pond. Newcomers welcome. Call Dick Stratton at 824-8669 FMI.

Library Hours

Andover Library: Tuesday, Wednesday, and Saturday 1-4:30pm; Thursday 1-4:30 & 6-8 pm. Tel. 392-4841

Bethel Library: Monday 9am-1pm; Tuesday, 1-5pm; Wednesday 1-8pm; Thursday & Friday 1

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THURSDAY EVENING NOVEMBER 8, 2007

	7:00	7:30	8:00	8:30	9:00	9:30	10:00	10:30	11:00	11:30
(3) Fortune	Jeopardy!	Dr. Phil		News	Jeopardy!	Frasier	Frasier	Cheers	South Park	
(32) Movie:	"The Lizzie McGuire Movie"			Movie: "The Lizzie McGuire Movie"				The 700 Club		
(6) 207	Inside	Name Earl	30 Rock	The Office	Scrubs	ER		News		
(8) Fortune	Jeopardy!	Ugly Betty		Grey's Anatomy		Big Shots		News		
(10) News-Lehrer		Maine Exp	Made	Miss Marple		Austin City Limits		Charlie Rose		
(22) SportsCtr.	College Football: Louisville at West Virginia						SportsCenter			
(34) CSI: Crime Scn		CSI: Crime Scn		TNA IMPACT!				The Ultimate Fighter		
(13) Entertain	The Insider	Survivor: China		CSI: Crime Scn		Without a Trace		News		
(41) Sports	Tailgate	Fantasy Fix	Foot Now	Hooters Pageant		Sports	Sports	High School Football		
(15) Skeleton	Bee Movie	Inside the NFL		Movie: "The Deal"		Count	Morgan	Cathouse 2		
(17) Montana	Suite Life	Movie: "Stuart Little 2"		So Raven	So Raven	Life Derek	Suite Life	Montana		
(18) Movie:	"Braveheart" Cont'd		Movie: "Flushed Away"			Movie: "Innocent Blood"				
(20) Bruins	NHL Hockey: Montreal Canadiens at Boston Bruins					Bruins	SportsDesk	SportsDesk	The Globe	
(44) Still Stnd	Still Stnd	Reba	Reba	Movie: "At First Sight"			Will-Grace	Will-Grace		
(5) Raymond	Raymond	Friends	Friends	Movie: "In Good Company"			Sex & City			
(24) Zoey 101	School	Drake	Full House	Home Imp.	Home Imp.	Lopez	Lopez	Fresh Pr.	Fresh Pr.	
(25) Movie:	"Firefox" Cont'd		Movie: "Gothika"			Mad Men		Movie: "A Bronx Tale"		
(26) Law Order: CI		Law & Order: SVU		Law & Order: SVU		Law Order: CI		Law Order: CI		
(27) CSI: Miami		CSI: Miami		The First 48		The First 48		The First 48		
(12) Funniest Home Videos		Movie: "Romy and Michele's High School Reunion"				WGN News at Nine	Scrubs	Scrubs		
(39) Lou Dobbs Tonight		Out in the Open		Larry King Live		Anderson Cooper 360				

FRIDAY EVENING NOVEMBER 9, 2007

	7:00	7:30	8:00	8:30	9:00	9:30	10:00	10:30	11:00	11:30
(3) Fortune	Jeopardy!	Dr. Phil		News	Jeopardy!	Frasier	Frasier	Cheers	South Park	
(32) Grounded	Movie: "Remember the Titans"						Funniest Home Videos	The 700 Club		
(6) 207	Inside	Deal or No Deal		Friday Night Lights		Las Vegas		News		
(8) Fortune	Jeopardy!	Men in Trees		Women's Murder Club	20/20			News		
(10) News-Lehrer		Wash Wk	Maine	Bill Moyers Journal		NOW	Expose	Religion	Washingn	
(22) SportsCtr.	NBA	NBA Basketball: Denver Nuggets at Washington Wizards				NBA Basketball: Cavaliers at Kings				
(34) CSI: Crime Scn		CSI: Crime Scn		UFC Fight Night				World Cyber Games		
(13) Entertain	The Insider	Ghost Whisperer		Moonlight		NUMB3RS		News		
(41) Celtics Pre.	NBA Basketball: Atlanta Hawks at Boston Celtics					Celtics	Sports	Sports	Pro Football	
(15) Inside the NFL		Movie: "The Dukes of Hazzard"		Fred Claus		Curb	Curb	Real Time		
(17) Montana	Suite Life	Montana	Wizards	Movie: "Spy Kids 3: Game Over"		Suite Life	Suite Life	Montana		
(18) Movie:	"ATL" Cont'd		Movie: "Tunstas"			Movie: "Smokin' Aces"				
(20) Outdoors	Outdoors	Outdoors	Outdoors	Outdoors	Outdoors	SportsDesk	Red Sox	SportsDesk	Outdoors	
(44) Still Stnd	Still Stnd	Reba	Reba	Lisa Williams		Amer. Psychic Challenge		Blood Ties		
(5) Raymond	Raymond	Movie: "The Wizard of Oz"				Movie: "101 Dalmatians"				
(24) Zoey 101	School	Barneyard	Avatar	El Tigre	Full House	Lopez	Lopez	Home Imp.	Home Imp.	
(25) The Quick and the Dead		Movie: "Blazing Saddles"				Movie: "Psycho"				
(26) Law & Order: SVU		Movie: "The Bourne Identity"						House		
(27) "The Godfather: Part II"		Movie: "Godfather Part III"								
(12) Funniest Home Videos		Movie: "Stigmata"				WGN News at Nine	Scrubs	Scrubs		
(39) Lou Dobbs Tonight		Out in the Open		Larry King Live		Anderson Cooper 360				

SATURDAY EVENING NOVEMBER 10, 2007

	7:00	7:30	8:00	8:30	9:00	9:30	10:00	10:30	11:00	11:30
(3) Fortune	Jeopardy!	Movie: "The World Is Not Enough"					Patriots	Unscene	Comics Un.	
(32) "Love & Basketball"		Movie: "Love & Basketball"					Movie: "Remember the Titans"			
(6) Maine	Maine	Bionic Woman	Chuck			Law & Order: SVU	News	Sat. Night		
(8) Fortune	Patriots	College Football: Teams to Be Announced						News		
(10) Fields	Wait God	Neighbors	My Family	Movie: "Charade"				Red Green	MontyPyth	
(22) Scoreboard	College Football: Teams to Be Announced						SportsCenter			
(34) Next of Kin	Movie: "Road House"					The Ultimate Fighter	TNA Road	TNA IMPACT!		
(13) News		CSI: NY		Criminal Minds		48 Hours Mystery		News	Entertain	
(41) Celtics Pre.	NBA Basketball: Boston Celtics at New Jersey Nets					Celtics	College Football			
(15) "The Return"	Cont'd	Movie: "The Departed"					Tell Me You Love Me	Borat		
(17) So Raven	Suite Life	Montana	Wizards	Movie: "Valiant"			Suite Life	Suite Life	Montana	
(18) "Star Wars"	Cont'd	Movie: "The Fast and the Furious: Tokyo Drift"				Movie: "The Last King of Scotland"				
(20) NHL Hockey	Buffalo Sabres at Boston Bruins					Bruins	SportsDesk	The Buzz	SportsDesk	Outdoors
(44) Movie: "Comeback Season"				Movie: "Miss Congeniality"				Grey's Anatomy		
(5) Shrek	Gnash	Movie: "The Wizard of Oz"				Movie: "Herbie Fully Loaded"				
(24) Drake	Drake	Carly	Just Jordan	Naked	Drake	Full House	Lopez	Fresh Pr.	Fresh Pr.	
(25) Movie: "Psycho"	Cont'd	Movie: "Cool Hand Luke"						Movie: "Cool Hand Luke"		
(26) "Bad Boys II"	Cont'd	Movie: "The Bourne Identity"						Law Order: CI		
(27) "Erin Brockovich"	Cont'd	Movie: "Bridge of Spies"				A&E Rocks: Bon Jovi	Simmons	Simmons		
(12) Funniest Home Videos		Movie: "Dinosaur"				Funniest Home Videos	Scrubs	Reno 911!		
(39) This Week at War		Special Investigations		Larry King Live		Newsroom		Special Investigations		

SUNDAY EVENING NOVEMBER 11, 2007

	7:00	7:30	8:00	8:30	9:00	9:30	10:00	10:30	11:00	11:30
(3) CSI: Miami		CSI: Miami		70s Show	70s Show	Frasier	Frasier	Without a Trace		
(32) Under the Tuscan Sun		Movie: "My Big Fat Greek Wedding"					Movie: "My Big Fat Greek Wedding"			
(6) Football Night in America		NFL Football: Indianapolis Colts at San Diego Chargers						News		
(8) NASCAR	Videos	Extreme-Horrs		Desperate Housewives		Brothers & Sisters		News	Cold Case	
(10) All Creatures		Nature		Masterpiece Theatre		Art-Twenty-First Century		Charlie Rose		
(22) SportsCenter		Women's College Basketball: Stanford at Rutgers				College Football Live		SportsCenter		
(34) CSI: Crime Scn		CSI: Crime Scn		CSI: Crime Scn		CSI: Crime Scn		CSI: Crime Scn		
(13) 60 Minutes		The Amazing Race 10		Cold Case		Shark		News	Crossroads	
(41) Best Damn S9		Poker Superstars II		PRIDE Fighting		Final Score	BCS Show	Track	BCS Show	
(15) Movie: "The Manne"				Tell Me You Love Me		Curb		Movie: "Because I Said So"		
(17) Montana	Suite Life	Movie: "The Santa Clause"				So Raven	Life Derek	Suite Life	Montana	
(18) "The Untouchables"		Movie: "Children of Men"						Movie: "Night at the Museum"		
(20) Red Sox	The Buzz	Outdoors	Outdoors	Footsteps of Heroes		Celebrity Shootout		Red Sox	SportsDesk	
(44) Movie: "Miss Congeniality"				Movie: "It Was One of Us"				Medium		
(5) Chalk Run	Gnash	Movie: "The Wizard of Oz"				Movie: "The Wizard of Oz"				
(24) Just Jordan	Carly	Zoey 101	Unfabulous	Full House	Fresh Pr.	Home Imp	Cosby	Roseanne	Roseanne	
(25) "Hamburger Hill"	Cont'd	Movie: "The Great Raid"						Movie: "Platoon"		
(26) "2 Fast 2 Furious"	Cont'd	Movie: "The Bourne Identity"						Law & Order: SVU		
(27) Cold Case Files		The First 48		The First 48				The Sopranos		
(12) Funniest Home Videos		American Idol Rewind		Shocking Behavior		WGN News	Replay	Scrubs	Corner Gas	
(39) Newsroom		Special Investigations		Larry King Live		Newsroom		Special Investigations		

MONDAY EVENING NOVEMBER 12, 2007

	7:00	7:30	8:00	8:30	9:00	9:30	10:00	10:30	11:00	11:30
(3) Fortune	Jeopardy!	Dr. Phil		News	Jeopardy!	Frasier	Frasier	Cheers	South Park	
(32) Movie:	"Scooby-Doo"			Movie: "Scooby-Doo 2: Monsters Unleashed"				The 700 Club		
(6) 207 Anniversary Show		Chuck		Heroes		Journeymen		News		
(8) Fortune	Jeopardy!	Dancing With the Stars		Samantha		The Bachelor		News		
(10) News-Lehrer		Antiques Roadshow		Billy Crystal: The Mark Twain Prize		Aquarium		Charlie Rose		
(22) Monday Night Countdown				NFL Football: San Francisco 49ers at Seattle Seahawks				SportsCtr.		
(34) CSI: Crime Scn		CSI: Crime Scn		Movie: "Predator"						
(13) Entertain	The Insider	How I Met	Big Bang	Two Men	Rules	CSI: Miami		News		
(41) Sports	In Focus	Rodeo: Pro Tour		Best Damn Sports Show		Sports	Sports	Best Damn Sports Show		
(15) Ice Age	Gangster	Real Time		Curb		Alive Day Mem		Tell Me You Love Me		
(17) Montana	Suite Life	Movie: "Sky High"				So Raven	Life Derek	Suite Life	Montana	
(18) "Mr. & Mrs. Smith"		Movie: "The Last King of Scotland"						Movie: "Superman Returns"		
(20) Outdoors	Red Sox	Red Sox Classics				SportsDesk	The Buzz	SportsDesk	Outdoors	
(44) Still Stnd	Still Stnd	Reba	Reba	Movie: "Girl, Positive"				Will-Grace	Will-Grace	
(5) Raymond	Raymond	Friends	Friends	Family Guy	Family Guy	Family Guy	Family Guy	Sex & City	Sex & City	
(24) SpongeBob	SpongeBob	Pantlis		Full House	Home Imp.	Lopez	Lopez	Fresh Pr.	Fresh Pr.	
(25) "The Great Raid"	Cont'd	Movie: "The Dirty Dozen"						"Heartbreak Ridge"		
(26) Law Order: CI		Law & Order: SVU		WWE Monday Night Raw				Dr. Steve-O		
(27) CSI: Miami		Intervention		Intervention		The First 48		The First 48		
(12) Funniest Home Videos		Funniest Home Videos		America's Funniest		WGN News at Nine	Scrubs	Scrubs		
(39) Lou Dobbs Tonight		Out in the Open		Larry King Live		Anderson Cooper 360				


TUESDAY EVENING NOVEMBER 13, 2007

	7:00	7:30	8:00	8:30	9:00	9:30	10:00	10:30	11:00	11:30
(3) Fortune	Jeopardy!	Dr. Phil		News	Jeopardy!	Frasier	Frasier	Cheers	South Park	
(32) Grounded	Grounded	Funniest Home Videos		Funniest Home Videos		Funniest Home Videos		The 700 Club		
(6) 207	Inside	The Biggest Loser				Law & Order: SVU		News		
(8) Fortune	Jeopardy!	Cavemen	Carpoolers	Dancing With the Stars		Boston Legal		News		
(10) News-Lehrer		Nova				Independent Lens		Charlie Rose		
(22) College Basketball: NIT Season Tip-Off				College Basketball: NIT Season Tip-Off				SportsCenter		
(34) CSI: Crime Scn		CSI: Crime Scn		CSI: Crime Scn		CSI: Crime Scn		CSI: NY		
(13) Entertain	The Insider	NCIS		The Unit		Cane		News		
(41) NBA Basketball: Boston Celtics at Indiana Pacers				Celtics	Sports	Sports	Celtics Now	Final Score		
(15) Movie: "The Deal"	Cont'd	Movie: "The Departed"						Michigan vs. Ohio State: The Rivalry		
(17) Montana	Suite Life	Confessions of Drama Queen		So Raven	So Raven	Life Derek	Suite Life	Montana		
(18) John & Jane Toli Free		Movie: "Red Planet"						Movie: "She's the Man"		
(20) College Football: Amherst at Williams						SportsDesk	The Globe	SportsDesk	Outdoors	
(44) Still Stnd	Still Stnd	Reba	Reba	Movie: "Augusta, Gone"				Will-Grace	Will-Grace	
(5) Raymond	Raymond	Family Guy	Family Guy	Family Guy	Family Guy	The Office		Sex & City	Sex & City	
(24) Zoey 101	School	TEENick	Drake	Full House	Home Imp.	Lopez	Lopez	Cosby	Roseanne	
(25) "Heartbreak Ridge"		Movie: "Rear Window"						Movie: "Vertigo"		
(26) Law Order: CI		Law & Order: SVU		Law & Order: SVU		Movie: "Bad Boys II"				
(27) CSI: Miami		Dog the Bounty Hunter		Dog	Dog	Criss Angel	Criss Angel	Criss Angel	Criss Angel	
(12) Funniest Home Videos		Funniest	Funniest	Funniest	Funniest	WGN News at Nine	Scrubs	Scrubs		
(39) Lou Dobbs Tonight		Out in the Open		Larry King Live		Anderson Cooper 360				

WEDNESDAY EVENING NOVEMBER 14, 2007

	7:00	7:30	8:00	8:30	9:00	9:30	10:00	10:30	11:00	11:30	
(3)	Fortune	Jeopardy!	Dr. Phil		News	Jeopardy!	Frasier	Frasier	Cheers	South Park	
(32)	Movie: "Mrs. Doubtfire"						Funniest Home Videos		The 700 Club		
(6)	207	Inside	Phenomenon		Bionic Woman		Life		News		
(8)	Fortune	Jeopardy!	Pushing Daisies		Private Practice		Dirty Sexy Money		News		
(10)	News-Lehrer		Wired Science		The War		C. Rose				
(22)	College Basketball: North Carolina at Davidson				NBA Basketball: Los Angeles Lakers at Houston Rockets						SportsCtr.
(34)	CSI: Crime Scn		CSI: Crime Scn		UFC Unleashed		The Ultimate Fighter		MANswers	MANswers	
(13)	Entertain	The Insider	Kid Nation		Criminal Minds		CSI: NY		News		
(41)	Celtics Pre.	NBA Basketball: New Jersey Nets at Boston Celtics				Celtics	Sports	Sports	Celtics Now		
(15)	Movie: "King Kong" Cont'd		To Die in Jerusalem			Love	Inside the NFL		Real Time		
(17)	Montana	Suite Life	Movie: "Go Figure"			So Raven	So Raven	Life Derek	Suite Life	Montana	
(18)	Movie: "Smokin' Aces" Cont'd			Movie: "Let's Go to Prison"			Movie: "The Last King of Scotland"				
(20)	Celebrity Shootout		College Basketball: UNH at BC			ACC	SportsDesk	The Globe	SportsDesk	Outdoors	
(14)	Still Stnd	Still Stnd	Reba	Reba	Movie: "Nora Roberts' Angels Fall"			Will-Grace	Will-Grace		
(5)	Raymond	Raymond	Family Guy		Family Guy		Payne	Payne	Sex & City	Sex & City	
(24)	Zoe1 101	Schoof	TEENick	Drake	Full House		Home Imp.	Lopez	Lopez	Full House	
(25)	Movie: "Insomnia" Cont'd		Movie: "The Hunt for Red October"						Movie: "Below"		
(26)	Law Order: CI		Law & Order: SVU		Law & Order: SVU		Law Order: CI		Law Order: CI		
(27)	CSI: Miami		CSI: Miami		CSI: Miami		The Sopranos		The First 48		
(32)	Funniest Home Videos		Comer Gas		Comer Gas	Becker	Becker	WGN News at Nine		Scrubs	
(39)	Lou Dobbs Tonight		Out in the Open			Larry King Live		Anderson Cooper 360			

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From Oxford County Democrats

The Oxford County Democrats held their Final Push Supper on Friday, Nov. 2, at the American Legion Hall in Dixfield with an excellent crowd enjoying a spaghetti dinner prepared by the Legion members.

County Chair Cathy Newell of Greenwood welcomed the group and mentioned the help needed for the District 93 House race. She introduced the legislators and elected officials in attendance including House Majority Leader Hannah Pingree, Assistant Majority Leader Sean Faircloth, Rep. John Patrick, Senator Bruce Bryant, Rep. Tim Carter, and Rep. Janet Mills, as well as Sheriff Wayne Gallant and Maine Democratic Party Chair John Knutson.

Congressman Mike Michaud offered remarks about the work he is doing with veterans and spoke about the importance of the efforts of the grassroots efforts to attract and support legislative candidates.

Congressman Tom Allen

highlighted the reasons he is running for the US Senate including the need to expand the Democratic margin in the Senate to effect a major change in the Iraq policy and to provide a real focus on the needs of the middle class with respect to jobs and healthcare. He encouraged those present to visit his website www.tomallen.org and join his team.

Senator Bruce Bryant concluded the evening by encouraging those present to volunteer in the campaign and introduced Sheryl Briggs, candidate for the House in District 93, who thanked those who have helped and gave special thanks to the Legion cooks and staff for the excellent meal. Following the Final Push Supper, Congressman Allen and his wife, Diana, accompanied Sheryl Briggs, Sen. Bryant and Rep. Patrick to the Mountain Valley Football Playoff game.

From Bethel Historical Society's Regional History Center

An opportunity to learn something about the value of

an antique or collectible at the Valuation Day is being offered by the Bethel Historical Society on Saturday, Nov. 10, at the society's O'Neill Robinson House from 9 a.m. to 1 p.m.

For a \$5 donation to the society, Jay Boschetti of Steam Mill Antiques will provide a value for one or two items per person. Boschetti has been involved in this field for much of his life and operates a successful business just west of Bethel Hill on U.S. Route 2.

Those possessing an antique or collectible item for which they would like further information such as its purpose, background, and/or monetary value are urged to attend this special opportunity offered by the society in cooperation with Mr. Boschetti.

Don't miss the final lecture in the 2007 Bethel Historical Society series, "Maine Character and Characters," sponsored in part by a grant from the Maine Humanities Council, to be held on Thursday, Nov. 8, in the meeting room of the Dr. Moses Mason House, beginning at 7:30 p.m. Society Director Stanley R. Howe will present a centenary profile of this remarkable "character" and provide some insights into her personality and con-

tributions to the community and beyond. The lecture is free and open to all interested persons.

With over 1,400 members, the Bethel Historical Society, founded in 1966, is western Maine's largest and most comprehensive full-time historical agency, dedicated to collecting, preserving, and interpreting the regional past for present and future generations.

AREA RESIDENT ELECTED TO AMERICAN LEGION AUXILIARY NATIONAL OFFICE

Jeri Brooks Greenwell of Bethel has been elected National Chaplain of the American Legion Auxiliary.

Greenwell joined the American Legion Auxiliary through the military service of both parents, Dana and Carolyn Brooks, who served during WWII. Greenwell has been an active member of the Auxiliary Mundt-Allen Unit 81 in Bethel for the last 43 years. She has held the offices in her local auxiliary, including president, in addition to serving both the department and

national organizations.

The American Legion Auxiliary has 900,000 members across the nation and in several foreign locations. Affiliated with The American Legion, the Auxiliary is a veterans' service organization with members in nearly 10,000 communities. The organization sponsors volunteer programs on the national and local levels, focusing on three major areas: veterans, young people and the community.

During the past administrative year, the American Legion Auxiliary actively pursued projects that benefited more than 252,247 children, and its members volunteered more than 450,000 hours on behalf of America's youth. Always community minded, the American Legion Auxiliary also donated \$160,876 to Children's Miracle Network and \$7.8 million to veterans through its Veterans Affairs & Rehabilitation initiative.

Greenwell and National President Jan Pulvermacher-Ryan hold America's children near and dear to their hearts. For her project as National President, Pulvermacher-Ryan has initiated a campaign to raise \$1.2 million to an en-

dowment fund for "Children of Warriors."

"Military families give so much to our communities and country, and Americans have an obligation to help them in every way possible," said Pulvermacher-Ryan.

"The \$1.2 million campaign will raise the average National President's Scholarship from \$1,800 to \$3,600 for fifteen deserving military children each and every year."

As National Chaplain, Greenwell is on a mission to raise funds for this initiative to educate children of warriors.

"Our veterans give so much to protect our freedom, the least we can do is help lessen their burdens back home," said Greenwell.

To donate to the "Educating Children of Warriors" campaign and provide educational opportunities to military children who face frequent moves, school transition, isolation, long-distance parenting, and the stress of knowing Mom or Dad is in harm's way, log on to the Auxiliary's National website and donate today to the National President's Scholarship: www.legion-aux.org/donate.

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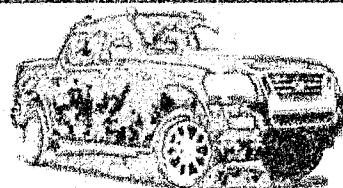
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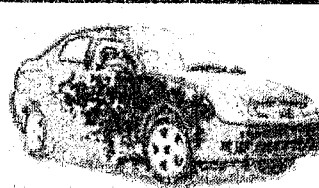


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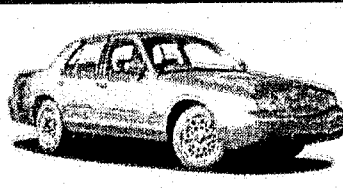
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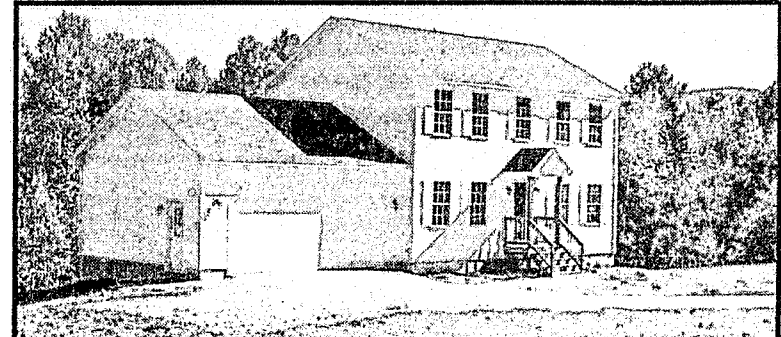
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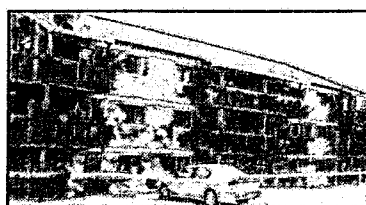
20 Fairway Drive, Mahoosuc Glen: This 5 BR home on the hole 7 green at the Sunday River Golf Club has views down the fairway. The 3760 sq. ft. of living space includes a master suite, separate guest quarters and 2-bay garage. \$899,000



Two-level town houses, featuring three bedrooms and 2.5 baths are located just over one mile from South Ridge Lodge. **Prices start in the low \$300,000 range**

This beautiful subdivision of building lots promoting "green" building is located only 15 minutes from Sunday River. **Prices start at \$45,900.**

—RESORT CONDOMINIUMS—



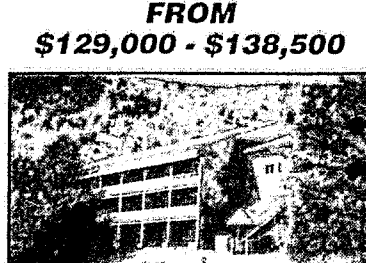
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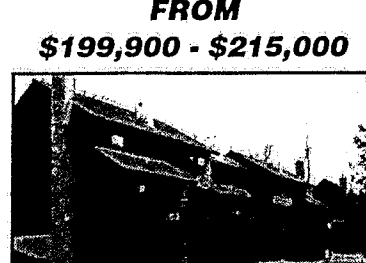
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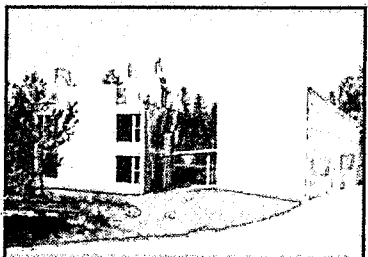
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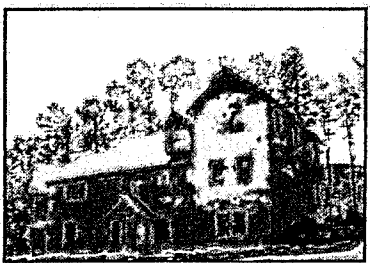
42 Goose Eye Drive, Mahoosuc Glen: Spacious, charming home above the hole 8 tees. Along with the spectacular location, this 5 BR/4 bath home features 3,760 square feet, master suite, separate guest quarters and 3-bay garage. \$899,000



4 Franklin Rd, Newry: Spectacular 3-br/2.5 bath authentic log home 2 miles from Sunday River. Upscale furnishings include antique pine floors, tile and granite kitchen/baths, custom cabinets, hot tub, den/loft, deck and first-floor master. \$519,900



28 Mountain Rd., Bethel: This unique, contemporary home designed by a Boston architect takes full advantage of spectacular mountain views. Open concept 2nd fl. features large deck, fireplace, contemporary kitchen. Roof deck adds modern flair in a pristine environment. Spacious master suite with fireplace. \$479,000



10 Timberline Drive, Newry: A short walk from South Ridge Lodge! This 4,300+ square-foot, gracious mountain home has special features that include two stone hearths, designer kitchen, and vaulted wood beamed ceilings. Builder will finish interior to suit. \$895,000



BUILD TO SUIT
Homes at Bear River, Newry: Well-built log & cedar-sided homes feature 4 +/- acres and 260 +/- feet of private frontage along Bear River. All within a 10-minute drive to Grafton Notch and Sunday River. \$369,000 and \$389,000



Evergreen Lane, Newry: This 5-br/4.5-bath home in the exclusive neighborhood of The Colony features 2 master suites, 2 whirlpool tubs, and gourmet kitchen. Sold fully furnished - featuring 2-car garage, privileged parking at South Ridge, and private road straight to the lodge. \$749,000

LAND

Snowbird Lane, Powder Ridge, Lot 66: Spectacular views of SR's 8 peaks, easy access on culdesac, natural boulders, conservation land in front for protected views. 1.18 acres. \$199,000

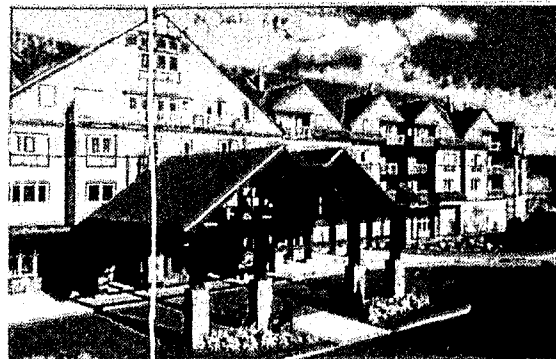
Powder Ridge, Lot 90, Newry: 1.15+/- acre lot located in the exclusive Powder Ridge Subdivision near Sunday River Ski Resort and provides a great location for a year round vacation home just minutes from New England's greatest skiing and golf. \$83,500.

Powder Ridge, Lot 92, Newry: Beautiful 1.13+/- acre lot in the exclusive Powder Ridge subdivision, minutes from Sunday River's world-class skiing and golf. \$94,900

11 Keystone Drive, Newry: 2.22 +/- acre Powder Ridge lot offers views and roughed-in driveway. Two level areas with some sloping offer choice of home location. \$74,900

Birch Woods, Lot 24, Bethel: Level 2.1-acre lot in beautiful neighborhood. Large building envelope w/potential mountain views and plenty of privacy. \$96,800

—HOTEL OWNERSHIP—



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14 Acres.....	\$72,000	WOODSTOCK:	
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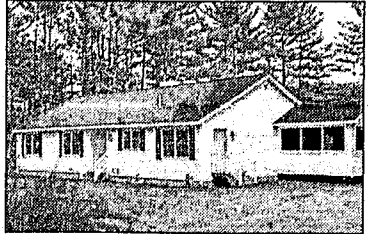
CONDOMINIUM



Location, Location!! Brand new log sided cape with town water & sewer is walking distance to all town amenities, the Bethel Inn and Gould Academy, and less than 10 mins to world class skiing & golf at Sunday River. Spacious open concept floor plan with eat-in kitchen, adjoining dining area, large living room, 3 BR's, 2 full baths, wonderful hardwood floors, large sun-filled windows & beautiful pine trim throughout. What A Deal At \$264,900



Newly Constructed Immaculate Chalet on desirable Bailey Road just 1.5 miles from Bethel Village offering an open concept floor plan thru-out its three spacious levels of living. Oversized kitchen, large Great Room w/custom gas fireplace, 4 BR's, multiple baths, family room, laundry room, private master suite, large exterior deck & sunny South Western exposure. The convenient location of this quality home makes it well suited as a primary or vacation residence! \$354,900



Meticulously maintained ranch on a private 2.89+/- acres offering beautiful river views and 200 feet of owned frontage on the Androscoggin. Constructed in 2003, this home showcases gleaming wood floors, quality tile, custom kitchen w/center island & adjoining dining area and large LR w/fireplace and 6 oversized transom windows. 3 BR's, 2 full baths, entryway, 3 season porch and unfinished three season porch. This home must be seen to appreciate properly! \$299,900



Don't be fooled by appearances! This very affordable 2 BR/2 Bath mobile home with additional 1000 square feet of living space and is in move-in condition. Situated on a 1.7 acre elevated lot between Rumford and Bethel, the property has a nice yard and seasonal views of the Androscoggin River. New roofing, brand new wood laminate flooring, new appliances including a washer and dryer and comes complete with all new furniture from Stanley's. A Great Buy @ \$79,900



Well maintained 4 BR 2 1/2 Bath Rumford Center Cape. Situated on a nice lot has much to offer with a convenient location, recent improvements and scenic views. Completed of over 1,900 square feet of finished living space, the home features a large kitchen, large dining room, large living room with fireplace, first floor bedroom, wonderful three season porch, 3 second floor BR's and attached one car garage. \$159,900



Newly Constructed Contemporary chalet within minutes of world class skiing & golf contains the comforts & amenities of a finer retreat yet offers the privacy and feel of a rural mountain retreat. 4 BR's, 5 baths, designer kitchen w/cherry cabinetry, rich wood floors, first floor laundry, two master suites, gas fireplace, large deck & full, unfinished daylight basement for expansion. Priced below appraised value at \$305,700!



Situated on a quiet road across from Songo Pond, find this charming cottage nestled in the Pines. Spend lazy days soaking up the sun or relaxing in the wonderful screened porch and enjoy the warm summer breeze, evening sunsets and the sounds of the loons. Recent updates, excellent access to boating, swimming and fishing and boasting a gorgeous view of the pond. You don't want to miss this! \$159,900



Prime frontage on Route 2 for your next investment adventure!! Spacious 4 Bedroom house with huge attached garage with overhead storage and outbuildings filled with years of antiques and collectibles awaiting the income potential! Sale includes furniture, genuine nickel plated stove, paintings, porcelain, trinkets and so much more.....too many items to list. A great opportunity for the entrepreneur or Ebayer!! Don't Miss This @ \$225,000!!



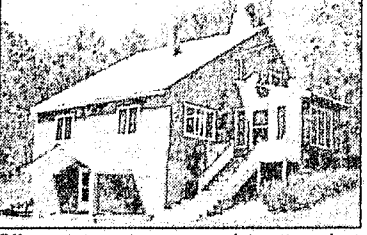
Wonderful real log cabin within walking distance of Bethel Village is situated on a landscaped parcel with perennials and private pond for swimming, fishing and the occasional small boat ride. An open floor plan offers a huge great room showcasing a custom stone fireplace, and a large second floor master with unique spiral stairwell. 2 Car garage, equipment or garden shed, greenhouse and direct access to snowmobile and ATV trails as well as cross country skiing is a bonus! \$159,900



Lake Christopher & Mountain Views from this Classic 3 BR New Englander in the midst of interior renovations and awaiting your finishing touches. This property has much to offer with spacious living areas & original wood floors thru-out. Lovely barn would make a great location for your next commercial venture! Within walking distance of the public boat launch, beach and all town amenities. \$95,000!



Newly constructed, charming country cape located within minutes of Bethel Village amenities, Championship Golf, World Class Skiing and recreation on nearby Songo Pond. Private home offers three spacious bedrooms, two full baths, large kitchen with ample cabinetry, sunny dining area and cozy living room. The full finished basement is a great place for all your storage needs or convert to additional living space. \$229,000



Off a quiet road in a peaceful setting, find this lovely maintained 3 BR cottage chalet on a 2.5+/- acre parcel consisting of bird filled woods, lush green lawn and beautiful perennial gardens. You'll marvel at all the home has to offer with its large open living spaces, wonderful view on kitchen, new dining area, rear porch deck, daylight basement and detached 2 car garage. Only 15 minutes to Bethel or Sunday River. \$179,900

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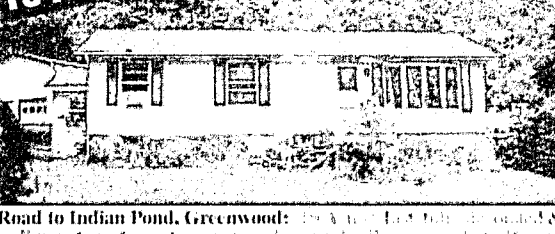
Flaherty Lane, Greenwood: Just completed! Stylish primary or seasonal new home that's 3 short miles from everything that downtown Bethel has to offer & just minutes from Sunday River Resort. Floors are gorgeous wood and tile, gas fireplace, open great room concept, new stainless appliances, kitchen w/bar, 3BR's, 2 baths, mudroom, nice large backyard, front deck and more! This location is only nine miles from resort skiing and championship golf. \$199,900

NEW LISTING



Maple St. Bryant Pond: Immaculate New English Farmhouse that is new, thought an extensive & fabulous renovation!! Stunning brand new kitchen, hardwood floors, hardwood ceilings, adjoining family room w/country fireplace, a main dining room w/white columns, dining room w/white columns, 4BR - 1.5 Bath & a quality garage. Private interior location, yet with a village feel. Call for more info and pictures. This location is in Mr. Abrams' back yard. \$209,900

16 ACRES!



Road to Indian Pond, Greenwood: This is a 16 acre lot with a 3 BR house, a 2 BR house, a 1 BR house, a 1/2 BR house, a 1/4 BR house, a 1/8 BR house, a 1/16 BR house, a 1/32 BR house, a 1/64 BR house, a 1/128 BR house, a 1/256 BR house, a 1/512 BR house, a 1/1024 BR house, a 1/2048 BR house, a 1/4096 BR house, a 1/8192 BR house, a 1/16384 BR house, a 1/32768 BR house, a 1/65536 BR house, a 1/131072 BR house, a 1/262144 BR house, a 1/524288 BR house, a 1/1048576 BR house, a 1/2097152 BR house, a 1/4194304 BR house, a 1/8388608 BR house, a 1/16777216 BR house, a 1/33554432 BR house, a 1/67108864 BR house, a 1/134217728 BR house, a 1/268435456 BR house, a 1/536870912 BR house, a 1/1073741824 BR house, a 1/2147483648 BR house, a 1/4294967296 BR house, a 1/8589934592 BR house, a 1/17179869184 BR house, a 1/34359738368 BR house, a 1/68719476736 BR house, a 1/137438953472 BR house, a 1/274877906944 BR house, a 1/549755813888 BR house, a 1/1099511627776 BR house, a 1/2199023255552 BR house, a 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MOUNTAIN RETREAT

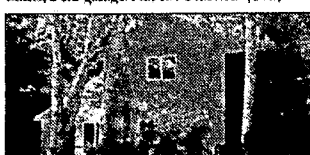
Warm log cabin charm with wood burning stone fireplace. Large loft overlooking living space. Open kitchen/dining/living area. 4 bedrooms, 4 bathrooms with master suite on main. Finished basement 2 car garage. \$390,000



CONTRACT PENDING!

WONDERFUL FARMHOUSE STYLE

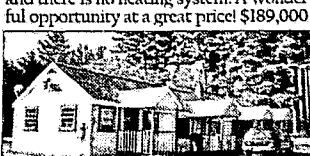
Superior quality new home in a nice quiet neighborhood. Close to Sunday River Ski Resort. Wonderful open floor plan with cathedral ceilings, hardwood floors, brick fireplace, formal dining room, huge play room, lots of closets, 3.5 bathrooms, 2 car garage. Not to be missed. \$339,000



CONTRACT PENDING!

GREAT VIEW-GREAT OPPORTUNITY

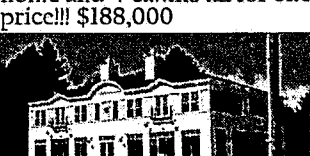
Great location at Chestnut Knoll. Two bedroom contemporary home privately situated with wonderful westerly mountain views. Power has not been hooked up and there is no heating system. A wonderful opportunity at a great price! \$189,000



NEW LISTING!

HOME AND CABINS

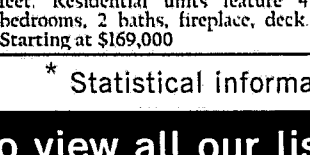
Unbelievable investment opportunity!! 3 bedroom home and 4 cabins all for one price!! \$188,000



NEW PRICE!

UNIQUE OPPORTUNITY

Private residence plus energy efficient 2 bedroom rental house and oversized 2 car garage. 50% diner style kitchen with lots of detail. Many unique and interesting details. \$339,000



NEW PRICE!

THE PARKWAY

New residential commercial condominium on The Parkway. Commercial units are approximately 2000 square feet. Residential units feature 4 bedrooms, 2 baths, fireplace, deck. Starting at \$169,000



NEW LISTING!

GREENWOOD CAPE

Three bedroom cape within walking distance to Round Pond. First floor bedroom, 3 season porch, a must see! Minutes to Mt. Abram and Sunday River Skiway. \$115,000



NEW LISTING!

RUMFORD POINT RIVERFRONT

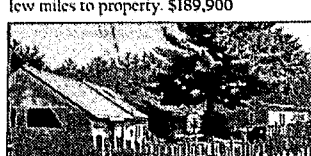
Beautiful riverfront home in Rumford Point. Built in 1960 w/ recent renovations including new wiring, heating, and roof. Mountain and river views. Four bedrooms. Finished walk out basement. Barn w/ horse stalls and room for vehicles. 15 min to Sunday River. \$335,000



NEW LISTING!

HOME SWEET HOME

Enjoy peaceful and tranquil country living. Spacious 3 bedroom 2 bath nestled in private setting with mature trees and panoramic views of hills and valleys. \$192,000



NEW LISTING!

PARTIALLY FINISHED CHALET

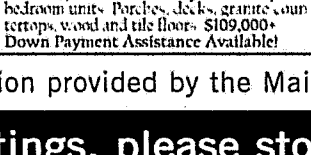
Classic Maine Camp needs finish work. Partially finished chalet, has well and septic, framing and some interior work done. Nice location with hiking brook close to Bethel and Sunday River. Priced to sell \$89,000



NEW LISTING!

LOCKE MOUNTAIN END UNIT

4 bedrooms, 4 bath, fully furnished. \$679,000



NEW LISTING!

MOUNTAIN VISTA

3 bedroom, 2.5 bath condominium. \$329,000



NEW LISTING!

GREAT GARDENS

Richardson Hollow Rd, Greenwood 3 BR, 1 BATH - 1.1 ACRES \$134,900



NEW LISTING!

PRIVATE LOG HOME

Saunders Rd, Woodstock 2 BR / 1 BATH - 1.1 ACRES \$165,000



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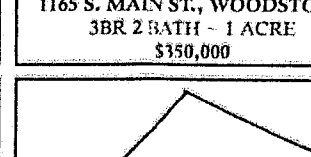
2 BR 2 BATH - 2.2 ACRES \$179,000



NEW LISTING!

1165 S. MAIN ST, WOODSTOCK

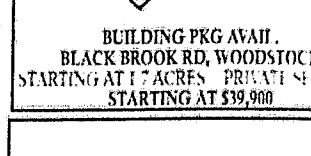
3 BR 2 BATH - 1 ACRE \$350,000



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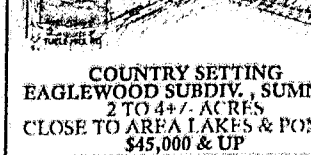
3 BR 2 BATH - 1 ACRE \$225,000



NEW LISTING!

SUBJECT PROPERTY

1.7 ACRES



NEW LISTING!

BUILDING PKG AVAIL

Black Brook Rd, Woodstock Starting at 1.7 acres. Private setting. Starting at \$39,900



NEW LISTING!

SPECTACULAR VIEWS

White's Brook Estates, Gilead A 9+ acre variety lot. Winding river. \$99,000 & UP



NEW LISTING!

GREAT WATERFRONT CAMP!

This close Maine camp sits right on the water's edge with beautiful views of the surrounding mountains. Great for young children with little traffic and plenty of land to play on. Gently sloping sandy bottom is perfect for swimming or boating. \$205,000



NEW LISTING!

POWDER RIDGE

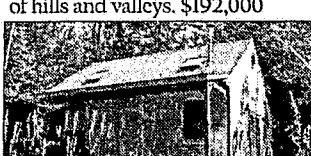
Spacious log home located with great views of Sunday River Ski Resort. Nice open floor plan with cathedral ceiling and lots of windows. Newly added master bedroom and bath. Being sold furnished. A great price not to be missed. \$449,000



NEW LISTING!

SONGO POND ACCESS

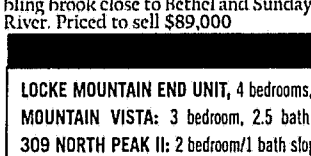
Two bedroom year round cottage located just south of downtown Bethel. Large 3 season porch, scenic fireplace, private back yard with deck and bath, deeded access to Songo Pond. \$199,900



NEW LISTING!

TWITCHELL BROOK ESTATES

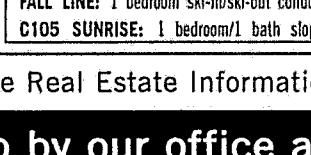
22 under construction condominiums spread across 10 scenic acres and located east of Bethel village on route Sunday River Ski/Trail Resort. Open floorplan with 3 BR, 2.5 BA, attached garage (end units), gas fireplace & more!



NEW LISTING!

WHITE CAP

1 bedroom on River Run Trail Sleeps 6. Priced to sell. \$135,000



NEW LISTING!

RIVERBEND

Fully furnished, minutes from the lifts, 1 bdrm/1 bath. \$135,000



NEW LISTING!

#9 PLEASANT RIVER

2 bedroom/1 bath West Bethel condominium, furnished. \$118,000



NEW LISTING!

#5 PLEASANT RIVER

2 bedroom/1 bath West Bethel condominium, furnished. \$113,000



NEW LISTING!

SOUTH RIDGE

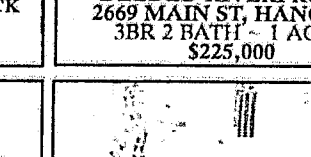
2 bedroom ski in/ski out townhouse. \$185,000



NEW LISTING!

LOCKE MOUNTAIN

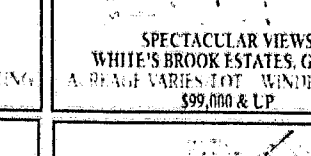
Trailside townhome 4 bedrooms, 3.5 baths, fully furnished. \$164,900



NEW LISTING!

CASCADES

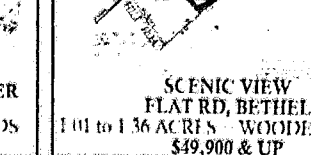
Renovated 1 bedroom 1 bath. Slopeside. \$148,000



NEW LISTING!

MILL HILL CONDOS

Great in-town location! 3 bedrooms. \$141,900



NEW LISTING!

LOCKE MOUNTAIN END UNIT

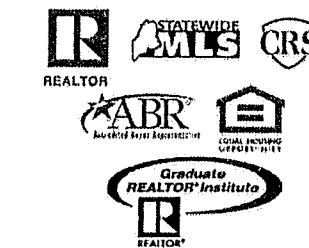
4 bedrooms, 4 bath, fully furnished. \$679,000



NEW LISTING!

MOUNTAIN VISTA

3 bedroom, 2.5 bath condominium. \$329,000



NEW LISTING!

MOUNTAIN VIEW CHALET

Stunning location for this 3 bedroom cape off Sunday River Rd. Walk to cross-country ski and one mile to downhill skiing. Pick up/drop off service from drive to resort. Open concept home with wrap around deck, cathedral ceilings & blueberry bushes. \$289,000



NEW LISTING!

HOWARD POND CAMP

Quaint 2 bedroom camp, furnished, on Howard pond with 100' of water frontage. Screened in porch overlooks lawn and dock. Full daylight basement unfinished. \$349,000



NEW LISTING!

WELL APPOINTED CAPE

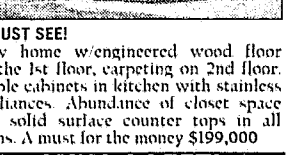
Beautifully appointed 3 BR cape conveniently located minutes from Bethel Village. Skiing and golfing. Fabulously decorated w/ meticulous landscaping and spectacular westerly views. Perfect year round or weekend retreat. Priced to sell! \$319,000



NEW LISTING!

NEWLY CONSTRUCTED CABIN

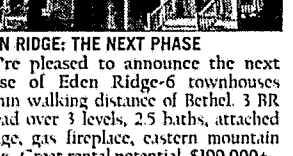
Tucked away in Paradise Pines, brand new log cabin ready to occupy. Three large bedrooms plus bonus loft, three baths, stainless appliances. Minutes to quaint downtown Bethel and near great skiing and golf. \$279,900



NEW LISTING!

A MUST SEE!

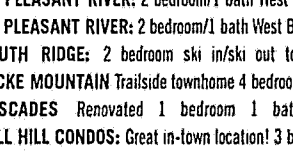
New home w/engineered wood floor on the 1st floor, carpeting on 2nd floor. Maple cabinets in kitchen with stainless appliances. Abundance of closet space and solid surface counter tops in all baths. A must for the money! \$159,000



NEW LISTING!

EDEN RIDGE: THE NEXT PHASE

We're pleased to announce the next phase of Eden Ridge-6 townhouses within walking distance of Bethel 3 BR spread over 3 levels, 2.5 baths, attached garage, gas fireplace, eastern mountain views. Great rental potential! \$199,000+



NEW LISTING!

MAWVILLE JUNCTION

Highly visible, convenient location - situated on Mawville Road on route to Sunday River. 1500 square feet with ample parking, central air and full bath. Also new home constructed home w/cedar exterior. 3 BR w/2 1/2 Bath. 2 car garage. 2.5 BA, attached garage, gas fireplace, large deck, open floor plan with cathedral ceilings. Starting at \$235,000



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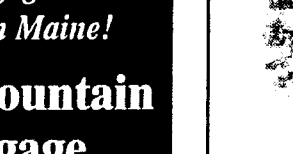
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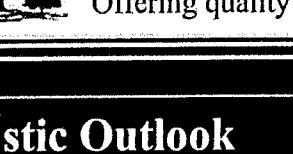
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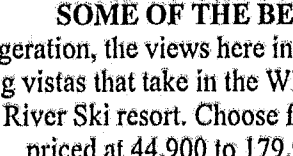
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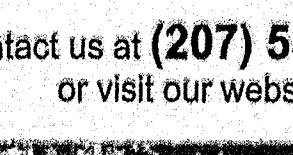
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3 BR 2 BATH - 1 ACRE \$350,000

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SUBJECT PROPERTY

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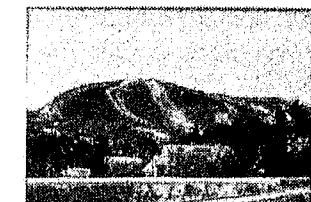
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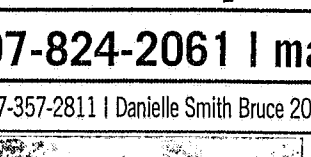
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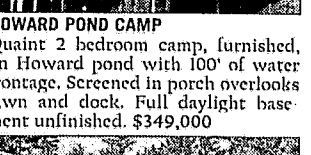
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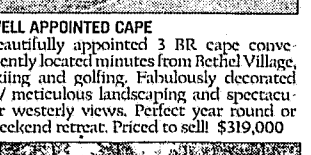
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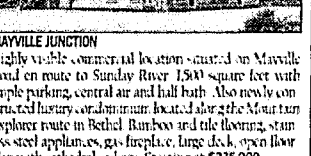
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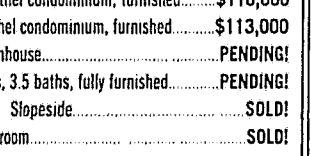
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COUNTRYSIDE LANE, BETHEL: A Lovely Log Sided 2005 Dormered Cape w/blonde Knotty pine ceilings, a U-shaped Kitchen w/bar, vaulted entry w/bench & custom shelving, 3 BRs, 2 full baths, full basement, deck w/log railings & sunny sliders. A Wonderful Privately Situated Getaway Only Minutes To All Area Amenities -- Certainly A Must See @ \$216,900!

SUNDAY RIVER SKI IN/SKI OUT CONDOS		
BROOKSIDE BUILDING I		
B-208	2 BR	\$189,900
A-303	2 BR	\$224,900
B-108	2 BR	\$224,900
BROOKSIDE BUILDING II		
B-306	1 BR	\$149,900
A-216	Studio	SOLD
A-311	1 BR	SOLD
CASCADES		
B-6	Studio	\$93,900
FALL LINE		
N-216	1 BR	\$149,900
W-116	1 BR	SOLD
F-216	1 BR	SOLD



BETHEL: Offered on a 1.5+/- Pristine Acre Lot With Warm Westerly Exposure Mt. & Pond Views, this home is meticulous! Newly renovated, open concept living area, master suite w/ whirlpool bathtub 2 add'l BRs, brand new FR, Storage Rm & Billiard Rm PLUS "Better Living Patio Rm". An Ideal Home at \$199,000!



Opportunity for the investor, vacation of Primary North Owner!! An extensively renovated Duplex in the heart of Bethel Village. Currently offering a 1st level consisting of 2 LRs, Eat-In Kit, 1 BR, 1 Bath & large screened in entry porch PLUS a 2nd level unit consisting of a LR, DR, Eat-In Kit, 2 BRs & 1 Bath. Rent by units OR live in one unit & rent the other OR easily renovate to one large single family home. Only minutes to Sunday River & Mt. Abram Ski Resorts! \$275,900



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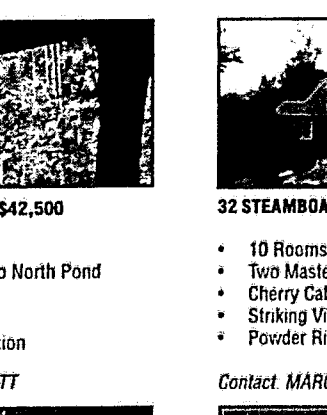


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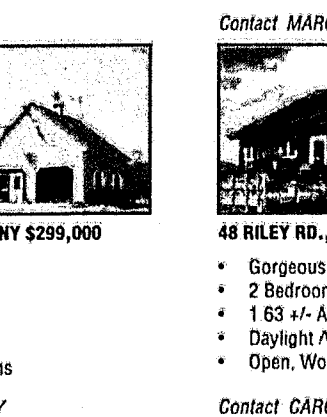
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Deena Hart
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Listing Coordinator



\$69,000

- Updated floor plan
- Distance from village
- Large master bedroom suite
- Large center island
- Large and pantry off kitchen



\$309,000

- * Three bedrooms
- * Brick fireplace
- * Partially finished basement
- * Overfront porch
- * Established neighborhood

Contact JULIA WILSON
708-441-1100

LAND

LOT 14 EAGLES NEST * 4+ Acres \$32,000
* 4+ Acres \$73,000

SOUTH MAIN ST, WOODSTOCK
* 39+ Acres \$110,000

WILLARD ST * 10+ Acres \$58,000
13 FARWELL MT. ESTATES
* 8+ Acres \$99,000

Lot #4-A NEVEL RD * 4+ Acres \$139,000
MAHOOSUC GLEN SUBDIVISION
* 112+ Acres \$195,000

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LOT 1, WILSON'S RIDGE * 6+ Acres \$50,000
35 WILSON'S RIDGE TRAIL
* 21+ Acres \$110,000

GREAT BROOK PRESERVE * 4+ Acres \$121,000
MAH KAMP ROAD * 15+ Acres \$115,000

INTERIOR RD * 25+ Acres \$29,000
TYLER STREET * 15+ Acres \$69,000

SUNSET ROCK #234 Acres \$459,000
Contact JUDY CUNING

BOB'S WAY, BETHEL #14 Acres \$35,000
MASON STREET #16 Acres \$179,000
INTERVALE RD. #432 Acres \$149,000
LOT #7 HIDE A WAY LAKE BETHEL
#19 Acres \$69,900
Contact CAROL EVERETT

AZTEC ST. MEXICO #281 Acres \$19,500
GORE RD. WOODSTOCK #3 Acres SOLD
ESTES RD. WOODSTOCK #72 Acres \$65,000
RICHARDSON HOLLOW RD. WOODSTOCK
#50 Acres \$59,900

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Obituaries

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EDITH E. ROWE

Edith E. Rowe (Deedie), 91, of Bethel died Thursday afternoon, Nov. 1, 2007 at the Norway Rehabilitation and Living Center, Norway.

She was born in Newry, Dec. 25, 1915, the daughter of Robert W. and Paulina Smith Enman. She attended school in Rumford and graduated from Stephens High School in 1932. She married Herbert R. Rowe of Bethel and they lived most of their married life in Bethel, except during World War II. They lived in Gardiner while Mr. Rowe worked at Bath Iron Works. Mr. Rowe died in 1986.

Edith was employed at

**Remembering
"Uncle Herb" Lyons
on his Birthday
11/9/28-8/29/06**

Joe & Freda Gaudreau & Family

Thank You

To the Bethel Police and Ambulance attendants for their quick response to my 911 call.

To the Doctors and nurses in the ER, and also to the other nurses and doctors who took care of me at Stephens Memorial Hospital.

To the American Legion and Auxiliary for the nice fruit basket.

A very special thank you to all my family.

Ernest Angevine

Card of Thanks

Elizabeth, Sue, Rod and I would like to express our heartfelt thanks for the outpouring of love and support we have received at this most difficult time in our lives. To Karissa and Kianna, Greg's two daughters from Augusta, Ga., we are so thankful that you were able to be here; and to my brother, Dwight and his wife, Elaine, and my sister, June, and her husband, Buster, for driving all the way to Maine from Florida on such short notice to offer their love and help. To those friends who brought food including the Gould dining service, the many phone calls, visits and all those who have sent cards thank you so much. A very special thank you to Pastor Chuck Mason and his wife, Kathy, for their kind words; to the Bethel Alliance Church for letting us use their facility; the Bethel Ambulance crew, the Life Flight crew, the nurses on the ninth floor cardiac special care unit at Maine Medical Center and Greenleaf's Funeral Home. Elizabeth and I are very fortunate to have many, many friends.

Elizabeth Merrill
Sue Merrill
Alberta Merrill
Rod Harrington

Bosserman's Drug Store in Bethel for 10 years and was an Avon representative for 10 years. She was a member of the West Parish Congregational Church in Bethel and the Bethel Senior Citizens.

She enjoyed playing Beano and was an avid birdwatcher. She was a loving sister, mother, grandmother, great-grandmother and great-great-grandmother.

She is survived by a daughter, Margery R. Swan of South Paris; three grandsons, Pastor Bruce and his wife Debra Swan of Springfield, Maine, Jeffrey and his wife Gini Swan of Dixfield and Todd Swan of Bethel. Edith has two great-grandsons and four great-granddaughters, Joshua and Douglas Swan, Stacy and her husband Richard Fidler, Rebecca Swan, Shania Swan and Jen Swan. She has one sister-in-law, Rosalind Rowe Chapman of Bethel; two great-grandsons, Ricky and Zachary Fidler; and several nieces and nephews.

Edith was predeceased by her husband, Herbert; two sisters, Elsie Davis and Eva Perry; as well as five brothers, Lester, Leon, Earle, Everett and Herbert Enman; and her son-in-law, Harry Swan, Jr.

Funeral services were held on Saturday, Nov. 3, at the Greenleaf Funeral Home, Bethel, with interment following at Woodland Cemetery, Bethel. In lieu of flowers those who wish may make memorial gifts in her memory to Woodland Cemetery Association, c/o Jackie Gammon, Woodstock, Maine.

**Happy 7th Birthday
TOMMY!**

**We love you Chief!
7GRTYRS**

In Gratitude

I have been away from Maine over thirty years. The kindness of the people in my native state was brought back, once more, when my mother, Ethel Martin passed away. I received beautiful cards of condolences from those I have not seen in many years. Thank you so very much.

I would like to thank my two brothers, Rex and Roland Martin and my special sister-in-law, Martha for their devotion in caring for my mother the years I have been away. They were there for her always and especially in the last few years when her needs were many and decisions were made.

I want to thank my daughter, Debra Jo Dunham, who always gave unselfishly in her devotion to her grandmother and was with her so much during her stay at Ledgewood Living Center and Norway Hospital.

Thank you all.
Sandra Martin Morgan



DOROTHY-DAWN PALMER

Dorothy-Dawn "Dee-Dee" Palmer, 16, died Saturday, Nov. 3, 2007 in Canaan as a result of injuries sustained in an auto accident. She was a resident of Farmer's Hill Road in Andover.

Born on March 14, 1991 in Waterville, she was a daughter of Sherwood Palmer and Sandra (Conley) Palmer. She was a junior at Telstar High School in Bethel where she was the historian for the FBLA and was also on the Field Hockey Team and was a member of the Drama Club and the Band. She attended a National Leadership Forum on Medicine at Emory College in Georgia. She was a member of the Andover Congregational Church and had attended Pilgrim Lodge Camp and UCC Synod in Connecticut.

She loved working with children, gatherings at the house with family and friends, hiking, camping, snowshoeing and cross-country skiing.

Survivors include her mother, Sandra Hall and her husband Joe of Andover; her father, Sherwood Palmer and his wife Renee of Norway; four sisters, Angela Palmer of Missouri, Jennifer Palmer of Auburn, Tiffany Steele of Norway, Candace Hall of Andover; three brothers, Richard Steele and his wife Katrina of Bangor, Scott Steele of Portland, Ryan Steele and his wife Megan of Colorado; foster sister Angie; maternal grandparents, Thomas and Nancy Conley of Rumford; paternal grandmother, Ivah Palmer of Stratton; paternal grandparents, Robert and Darlene Hall of Andover; her companion, Travis Morton of Rumford; Aunt Cindy Gammon and her husband Stacy of Andover, cousins, Lacey, Lauren and Lisa Gammon, Brooke Bennett; Aunt Sonya Jenke and her husband Bruce of Canton and cousins, Brianna, Alysha and Stephanie; Aunt Sandra Prince and her husband Harold of Turner, cousin Matthew; Aunt Alysha Fortenbacher and her husband John and family of New Vineyard; Aunt Gloria Arnold of Stratton; Uncle Odias Bachelder and his wife Kelly and family of Rangeley; Uncle Roger and Priscilla Palmer and family of Rangeley; Uncle Nelson and his wife Coco Palmer of Cumberland; paternal grandparents, Ronald and Shirley Banovich of Norway.

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**Lordy, Lordy
Guess Who's 40?!**

**Happy Birthday
November 14
Crossroads Cook!!**

The family of Floris Robin would like to thank all who have expressed their condolences through kind and thoughtful cards, letters and phone calls.

And also those who attended her Celebration of Life ceremony and have made donations to the Mexico Congregational Church in her memory.

Roger L. Robin
Michael Robin,
Celeste and Allison Freeman
Lois Poole
Gary Knox

**HAPPY 1ST
BIRTHDAY
on November 8
GAGE BERRY!**

Love from
all the family

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**PLEASE JOIN US FOR A
reception to celebrate
Vicki Rackliffe's**

20 years of service as Executive Director
of the Mahoosuc Arts Council

Saturday November 10th
6:00pm ~ 8:00pm

The Lewin Center ~ Bethel, ME

Light Hors d'oeuvres

Mahoosuc Arts Council

Please R.S.V.P.
Mahoosuc Arts Council Office
207-824-3575



ARTHUR WARDWELL

Arthur Wardwell, 91, of Albany, passed away Nov. 4, 2007 at the home where he was born July 19, 1916, the son of Roy and Hazel (Kimball) Wardwell.

He was educated in the Dresser and Clark schools and the hills and woods of Albany.

He married Alice Andrews Oct. 5, 1940 and they had twin daughters; his family and grandchildren and great-grandchildren were the love of his life. Many nieces and nephews spent a lot of time at the farm also.

He started mowing the family farm's fields at the age of 13 with the "new" mowing machine; he cut and hauled ice for neighbors; during the depression he worked in a sawmill in Stoneham; after the Flood of '36 he worked with his truck for the WPA repairing many bridges in Albany; he plowed snow in Albany with the town's crawler tractor, then for many years in Woodstock; he did farming and gardening but loved logging his wood lots and working with wood; at age 90 he split six cords of wood with his wood splitter.

He was a true woodsman and hunter; he got his first deer at age 15 and his last at age 84,

both 10-point bucks weighing over 200 pounds; he shot a bobcat in 1956; the crowning glory was his moose hunt in the Allagash in 1996, when at age 80 he got a bull moose weighing 1,205 pounds, the second largest on record in the state at the time; he loved to go partridge hunting with his daughter, Jane. They with Alice hunted in the Allagash each fall for twenty years. He enjoyed camping in Greenville and Baxter State Park, trips to Niagara Falls, Quebec and Prince Edward Island, Michigan, Gettysburg, and Amish Country in Pennsylvania.

He was a member and longtime trustee of the Albany Congregational Church, a former trustee of the Hunt's Corner Cemetery Association, and past member of SAM, Maine Trappers Association, and National Rifleman's Association.

He will be greatly missed by daughter Jane; grandson Darrin Reynolds and wife Jamie; granddaughters, Jessica Nye and husband Nick, and Danjean Collins and husband Nic; great-grandchildren, Samantha, Isaiah, Jeanae, and McKayla; and many nieces and nephews. He was predeceased by his wife, Alice, in 1998 and daughter, Jean, in 1992.

Funeral services for family and friends will be held on Thursday, Nov. 8, at 1 p.m. at the Hunt's Corner Congregational Church. Interment will follow at the Hunt's Corner Cemetery. Donations in Mr. Wardwell's memory would be accepted to the Hunt's Corner Cemetery Association, c/o Betty Gingras, 1240 Hunt's Corner Road, Albany Twp, ME 04217. Online condolences may be expressed to the family at www.oxfordhillsfuneralservices.com.

**Alder River Grange
TURKEY
SUPPER**

with all the fixings
**November 10
at 5pm**

Adults \$7 - Under 13 \$3
Veterans are Free

**BENEFIT
SPAGHETTI
SUPPER**

For Cindy Cox who is
battling cancer

**November 10, 2007
from 4:30-7pm**

Adults: \$7
Children 3-12 \$4

Locke Mills American Legion
Hall on the Gore Road

**In Loving Memory of Ralph Merrill
May 16, 1937 - November 11, 2006**

God saw that you were getting tired and a cure was not to be. So He placed his arms around you and whispered, "Come with me." With tearful eyes, we let you go and you slowly slipped away.

Although we loved you dearly, we could not make you stay. A precious heart stopped beating, and hard working hands were laid to rest. For this, God would prove to us, He only takes the "Best."

Greatly Missed by Your Wife,
Children, Daughter-in-Laws
& Grandchildren

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Showcase of Bryant Pond
area Small Businesses

**November 17
9am-2pm**

**Bryant Pond
Grange Hall**

Lunch provided by DUVCW
FMI Call 665-2171

Super Crossword Answers

This week's answers
can be found on Page 3.

OPEN HOUSE

Please join us in celebrating the
**50th Wedding Anniversary of
Dennis & Rita Wilson**

Saturday, November 17, 2007
from 2 to 4pm

at the Bear River Grange Hall
Newry, Maine

Any Questions, Call Jodie
at 824-3180

**HELP US LIGHT OUR
CHRISTMAS TREE**

on the lawn at the church
Buy a light in memory or in honor
of a loved one for \$5 per name.

Send donation and names to:
United Methodist Church
PO Box 387 • Bethel, ME 04217

All names will be read at the tree lighting ceremony
Saturday, December 8 at 6:30
PUBLIC SUPPER AT 5:30

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Wednesday, November 14, 2007
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